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NORMAL SCHOOL

Lowell Won the Battle With Lawrence.

SCHOOLS GO TO FITCHBURG, NO. ADAMS AND CAPE.

Vote Stood 123 to 46 in Lowell's Favor.

Lowell has won the normal school.

The vote was taken at 12.30 today and the bill providing for schools at Lowell, Fitchburg, North Adams and the cape was passed.

Lawrence was beaten 143 to 46.

It's a great victory for the Lowell representatives.

LOCAL NOTES.

Great bargains in shoes at Boulger & McOsker's. See their windows.

Children's russet spring heel, sizes 5 to 8 only 39c at Boulger & McOsker's.

Best place in Lowell for poor people to buy shoes is at Boulger & McOsker's.

The graduating exercises at St. Michael's school will occur Thursday, June 21st.

Have you seen the shoes they are selling for 99 cents and $1.23 at Boulger & McOsker's?

The trolley wires on the Chelmsford Center branch of the street railway are in position.

Boy's shoes, sizes 11 to 2 only 75 cents; sizes 3 to 5½, 85 cents at Boulger & McOsker's.

O'Donnell & Gilbride want the men to call today and tomorrow and buy from the gents' furnishing goods department where goods are the latest and most seasonable. See advertisement.

The Criterion has a special bargain sale today and tomorrow of shirt waists, silk waists and percale suits; 50c. shirt waists for 24c., suits worth $3.50 for $1.87 and silk waists worth $6 for $3.50 are a rarity.

DEATHS.

Agnes Scannell, aged 1 year, child of Bartholemew and Mary A. Scannell, died Wednesday night at their home, 535 Westford street.

Patrick McSorley, aged 64 years, died yesterday at his home, 24 Cedar street.

Mr. David Murphy, formerly in the employ of the Lowell Gas company, died at his home, 118 Adams street, yesterday afternoon. He is survived by a father, mother, brother and five sisters. Deceased was a member of the Emerald association and of the Wolftone guards.

McManmon, florist, Prescott & Merr'k sts.

Records Were Broken.

The 999th and the Glendons were the contestants in the duckpin game at Les Miserables alleys last evening. The former team broke two records by making a team string of 496, and a three string total of 1428. Dan. Donahue was right in the game, gained a lap on John B. Swift by beating his single string record by one pin. Dan scored 112 last evening The team play of the 999th was very even. McLaughlin bowled his first game in the tournament and made a good score. The score follows:

999th—H. Farrell 270, D. Donahue 301, Savage 284, McLaughlin 283, Brown 289; total 1428.

Glendons—Wilson 282, Seede 249, Peters 240, Dooley 284, Daigneault 250; total 1202.

Germany's Invitation.

LONDON, May 25.—The British government has received a proposal from Germany to hold a conference on the Samoan question. Great Britain will probably accept.

Trustees Will Rebuild.

LACONIA, N. H., May 25.—The trustees of Gilmanton academy have voted to erect a building in the place of the one burned last Sunday.

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THEY'LL ACCEPT

Politicians Who Are Sawing Timber for Office.

LICENSE COMMISSION BERTHS ARE IN VIEW.

Mayor Pickman Will Have a Host of New Friends.

At the state house today, a bill which was originally intended to take the license question out of politics by the appointment of a license commission, went to Gov. Greenhalge for his signature or rejection.

After spending much time on the matter, the law makers finally decided upon how it should appear when a law.

Amendment after amendment was made and we find that the bill as finally changed leaves the matter of appointing commissioners in the hands of the mayor.

But is the license evil remedied by the appointment of commissioners by the mayor?

It may be to some extent, yet the liquor traffic cannot be said to have been entirely removed from politics, for the mayor's appointees will be under obligations to the mayor, and he will, if he chooses, reward his constituents with licenses through the men he appoints.

There will be no crooked aldermanic fighting with the commission, thank goodness, for the aldermen will cut no figure whatever, with the men who grant the licenses.

The candidates are of course very numerous; they are for any public office where there is prestige, if but little cold cash. In the matter of appointments the public is desirous that none but the best qualified will be appointed by the mayor. He has shown himself to have been very anxious about the local licenses and very careful that only respectable and well appointed places should get licenses. He even went around with the license committee for that committee being composed of aldermen was liable to be less critical in its inspections than he would be and besides being aldermen they might inspect the name and "pull" of the applicant rather than his victualling facilities. He went around and saw the places and afterwards besides making two or three little speeches signed all the licenses granted by the aldermen. In their recommendation, they made no mistakes, all of the 77 had proper victualling facilities, even those where a stove without a pipe, two chairs, a table and a broken plate constituted the "facilities."

Who are the candidates?

It is thought that Willis P. Burbank might be coaxed to take an appointment. He's a good republican and at present is among the unemployed. He has, it is said, congressional aspirations. So has the mayor, according to report. If a license commissioner Burbank would not aspire for congress for awhile, not an aspirant ft the nomination, the mayor's chances would be better and therefore Burbank would make a good license commissioner. But, Mr. Burbank isn't doing a great amount of talking, while, it is said, the buzz of a saw is often heard in his back yard.

A. G. Thompson is a man prominent in republican circles, and had the governor the power to appoint, it is probable Mr. Thompson would be a commissioner.

Hon. C. D. Palmer has been mentioned as a candidate for one of the offices, but it is hardly probable that he would accept an appointment..

Whenever a public office is looking for a man to fill it, and there is the least chance for a republican to jump into it, up bobs serenely Col. Al. Pindar, the star of republican office seekers. The colonel would make a first class commissioner if experience with people who drink liquor counts for anything. He has had charge of the city farm to which drunks are sent, and upon retiring from the service at that place, he opened a place in Middlesex Village where drunks were sent to be cured of their appetites for liquor. Now, he is mentioned as a man who would know to whom to grant licenses to sell liquor.

"Bill" Hayes knows where the licensed places are for he sells many of them cigars. "Old Hundred" is mentioned as a candidate for the office, but it is whispered that Bill is looking for an "Hon" and hasn't time to bother about license commissions.

Ex-Superintendent Horace P. Beals might find time for the job.

The mayor and Lawyer John J. Harvey are great friends, doing business in the same office. Mr. Harvey's chances for an appointment are said to be quite good.

Of course Col. Jim Bennett stands a show, so do Ex-Mayor Jewett, Albert Wheeler, Albert Crowell, Charles Carter and Frank L. Weaver.

Among the democrats there are some very desirable candidates spoken of, though their chances with our non-partisan mayor are not very good. There is Cassius B. Pierce of the American Express company, whom many would like to see in the position. Then another desirable man is George F. Blair of School street, a staunch democrat. Mr. Blair has never sought public office although often solicited. He is in the real estate business and is accounted wealthy. Frank B. Dow's name has been mentioned.

Councilman John G. Gordon of Ward Two is a pronounced candidate for the position. He is a good democrat and a graduate of Brown university. He is popular or he would not have been elected in that ward.

Among the other democrats mentioned are Col. Haggett, ex-Alderman Butterworth, Hon. Jeremiah Crowley and Fisher H. Pearson. But the crop on both sides is a growing one, and as frosts are not likely to come the crop will be a generous one and Mayor Pickman will have to borrow a magnifying glass to find the man he wants in the clamoring throng.

T. D. PIPES BURNED.

Small Blaze in a Cigar Shop To-day Was Probably Caused by Rats

The alarm from box 25 was occasioned by a slight blaze in the cigar manufactory of Henry P. Flood, No. 434 Merrimack street.

The fire started in a box containing matches and these together with a few boxes of T. D. pipes and a small portion of the counter under which the matches were stored, were damaged.

Mr. Flood and his two assistants were in the rear shop when the fire started. It is supposed that rats among the matches caused the fire. The damage will not be great, but it is amply covered by H. C. Church & Son, liberal insurance agents.

Why Not.

If you are economizing why not look over your printing bills and see if you are not paying too much for printing. Call at this office and get prices on your work, and see if we cannot save money for you.

FROM OUR ARMORY.

NOTES OF INTEREST RELATING TO APPROACHING MUSTER.

One of the New Rifles on Exhibition—The Militia Will be Equipped With Them in Three Years—Cadets Have a Campfire.

The talk is all "muster" at the armory. Companies C and G of the Sixth Regiment and the Ambulance Corps are ready for muster. The latter goes into camp a week from Monday, and the others on Tuesday. Passes good for Thursday and Friday of muster week have been distributed to the men; the officers will have passes good for the week for distribution. This is the first year of discrimination in this respect.

The order that racks will not be allowed in the tents has caused a demand for a new style of rack, which will get around the order. It will not do to have clothing or guns piled on the floor, so Armorer Farnsworth has gotten up a new arrangement which is far better than the old one.

Capt. Mitten attended the meeting of the Ninth Regiment officers in Boston, yesterday.

Visitors to the muster field this year must either carry their own luncheons or go into Framingham for refreshments. No more complimentary meals to visitors.

The Ambulance Corps, Lowell division as usual has issued a neat "at home" card. The boys will not keep "house open" as in years past but will nevertheless be "at home" in every sense of the word to their friends.

The Cadet company had an informal spread in its rooms after drill last night, and to members of other companies the aroma of coffee gave evidence of a fine spread. The guests were Mr. Gid White, A. A. Hovey, Frank Hawes, C. W. Brigham, C. E. Osgood and F. A. Dutton. A general good time followed the "feed."

A rifle team of seven men captained by Lieut Worthen will compete against the crack team of the Sixth regiment at Wakefield next week.

The New Rifle.

Armorer Tom Farnsworth has one of the new magazine rifles on exhibition. It is a fine weapon, finely finished and even artistically mounted if such a thing is possible. The barrel is of small size for the calibre is only .30. The bayonet is an adaptation from the European "cheese stabber," or sword bayonet. It is of blue steel. The magazine carries five cartridges. It is a hammerless gun, the firing pivot having a sliding movement. About two inches from the firing point, and projecting from the side is a steel swivel. This is the ejector. In position it is down, but after firing it is pulled upward and toward the breech thereby ejecting a shell from the chamber and loading the chamber from a small magazine.

The swivel is then pushed into place. The one operation of pulling up the ejector, sliding it back and then returning it to position suffices to load and cock the gun. It can be discharged very rapidly. One thing is quite evident, when the rifle comes into general use the "carry" will be dropped from the manual, ordinarily, as the ejector swivel interferes with the carry. Already the companies in the regular army using the new rifle have been relieved of the carry in ordinary drill. The militia will be equipped with the new rifle in three years. The cartridge is copper cased and the ball is a spherical lead filled copper case The bullet will go through a man leaving a clean round wound. The wounds are the same as those inflicted by a Mannlicher rifle ball.

NOT OF THE MAIN HERD.

None of Mr. C. I. Hood's Celebrated Jerseys Among Those Burned Wednesday Night.

From a humane standpoint, the loss of some of Mr. Hood's jerseys by fire at Lowell, Mass., Wednesday night, is deplorable. From a financial standpoint the loss, if any, is trifling, as it is well covered by insurance, and the standing of the herd is in no way affected, as the number that perished is insignificant in so large a herd, and did not include any of his celebrated animals.

With the additions that Mr. Hood has recently made to his stock, the Hood farm herd of Jerseys is one of the largest and best, if not the best, in the world. Had this fire occurred in his main barn the loss would have been irreparable. Fortunately, however, it was in another farm, and the stock consumed, having been bought recently in the West, had never entered his main herd.

It is Mr. Hood's habit, and it is a wise one, to isolate or quarantine from the rest of the herd any stock recently purchased, and not commingle them with his main herd for months, until constant inspection by his veterinary surgeon has assured him that the health of each animal is perfect.

Following this custom, the animals destroyed by fire were quarantined at the time of the fire.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

A cataract has been removed from Gladstone's eye.

The British warship Hyacinthe seized three seal poachers.

Argentine is to give up Jabez Balfour to the British authorities.

The Harvard Canadian club observed the queen's birthday with a dinner at Boston.

Ruth King, 2 years old, was fatally burned by the explosion of a kerosene lamp at Providence.

Frank Swanson was run over by an electric car at Providence. Internal injuries will cause death.

Carl Waiss, who stabbed his brother at Roslindale, Mass., confessed to his crime, and his accomplice in robbery, Thomas Burke, also pleaded guilty.

The Usual Democratic Majority.

RICHMOND, May 25.—The municipal elections throughout Virginia passed off quietly. Generally the results were simply a ratification of the will of the Democratic majority throughout the state.

Likely to Spread.

PROVIDENCE, May 25.—An epidemic of malignant diphtheria has broken out here. Nine cases were found in one section of the city. There is every reason to believe that the disease will spread.

A Good Capture.

PARIS, May 25.—Three anarchists, named Guerin, Beaulieu and Gauch, have been arrested. Gauch is worth 600,000 francs. It is asserted that he has supplied the anarchists with funds.

Fought In the War of 1812.

PROVIDENCE, May 25.—William Cooper died yesterday at East Providence. He was born in 1793, and lived in the same place 96 years. He was a veteran of the war of 1812.

How Peru Does It.

LIMA, May 25.—Several prisoners, charged with political offenses, have been removed to Callao and placed in dungeons. Among the prisoners is Poet Chocano.

BIG SENSATION

Real Live Tramp Stirred Up the Police Court.

AN UNBRIDLED TONGUE LET LOOSE MADE A SCENE.

Unknown Individual Has Gone to Bridgewater.

There was a big sensation in police court this morning.

Among the prisoners was a real live professional tramp, whose name and history were unknown.

He had been loafing around Tewksbury for the past few days and was arrested by Constable Allen Buchanan.

Buchanan had a tussle with him when arresting him.

He was charged with being a vagrant and when the lengthy complaint had been read the clerk said:

"What do you say?"

"I say nothing. I don't know what I am here for; I walked along the road molesting no one and that ——fool arrested me."

"Shut up" said Office Bumps.

"I'll shut you up—quick" responded the tramp.

While Officer Buchanan gave his testimony the prisoner sat in the dock with a wild look on his bronzed features, muttering and cursing to himself.

"Do you want to ask him any questions? He says you're a tramp, begging food at different houses" said the court.

"Whom do you want me to ask questions? I never did him wrong."

"I was walking within your town limits, not troubling anything or anybody.

"I am a tramp, I live at no home. My home is in the free air." This was followed by a volley of oaths.

"Who are you talking to?" asked the court.

"I'm speaking to myself. Then you speak to yourself. I am my own counsellor and advisor." More oaths.

He was sentenced to the state farm at Bridgewater for 8 months, and the court ordered him to be removed at once.

Officer Bumps put his hand on the savage prisoner and the latter went at him with the yell: "Take your hand off me."

Officers Breen and Ingalls and Agent Drury rushed to Officer Bumps assistance, and the tramp's desire to clean out the court room suddenly vanished.

Down stairs he made another fight, but was finally put in a cell.

The man is evidently a maniac of the most dangerous character.

SPORTING GOSSIP.

While talking about bowling the other night with "Veteran" Jim McLaughlin, the latter expressed his desire to see a change in bowling. He said that 30 years ago, when bowling was all the rage and the basement of the old Museum building was used for alleys, the leading game was candle pins. "Why," said he, "we would no more think of using big pins, such as we now use, with big balls than to use big balls in the duck pin tournament. 'Greenies' from the country would use the combination, but bowlers would use candle pins. I believe in cutting down the size of the pins, to half way between the present size and duck pins. Use the same balls, and put the pins on the same spots: then you would see scientific work. The game at present is not scientific; all of us ought to make better scores with the chances offered."

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There will be less boating on the river this year than ever before, yet Stevens, the boat builder, says the boating will come around again when the boys decide "that cycling is too much work."

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A knot of prominent club men were taking club matters the other day. Vesper men predominated and accordingly they had their say, which was upon the benefits to be derived from an amalgamation of the present clubs in this city. For instance, the Vespers need an athletic field very much, a field where all sorts of sports could be carried out. If the club had the Dracut oval up near the club house the acme of perfection would be reached. But a suggestion was offered that a big down town club be formed with the Vesper house for the summer annex and the Dracut oval for its field. In large cities a club house is in town and its adjuncts a few miles away. But in small places people want everything in their own dooryard.

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The first season of the Miserables club has shown pretty conclusively that the East Merrimack street club house is handy. With a fine approach as will come when the new bridge is completed this fact will be illustrated more fully. It is understood that financially the season has been successful for the club; surely, it has been a success socially. With better times, as will surely come, and more money in people's pockets next winter, the club should make an effort to meet the demands of its club members, or rather branch out and make a good down town club of it. There is room for it, and properly organized it will succeed; more than that existence of the bowling alleys has contributed not a little to promoting sobriety and good order. Many a man has paid ten cents for bowling and thereby obtained exercise and enjoyment from the sport who previously used the money to buy beer.

PERSONAL.

Charles A. Whittet has accepted a position as manager of the Briggs conservatory at Taunton.

Mr. and Mrs. George H. Wood have gone on a trip through the west.

Dr. Solon Bartlett is improving daily.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Cameron of Westford and Mrs. Kebler have returned from Jamaica.

Miss Lea Brunnette has gone to Biddeford, Me.

Mrs. John I. Gibson and the Misses Kidder of Nesmith street have gone to Mt. Vernon, N. H., to spend the summer.

Henry Latour of Central Falls, R. I., is visiting friends in this city.

Mrs. E. D. Heselton of Durant street, is entertaining Miss M. F. Blake, formerly of this city.

Mrs. Charles S. Lilley is now resting well, and the chances are very favorable for her recovery.

Mrs. James B. Field has gone to New York, to visit her sister

C. E. A. Bartlett has been chosen a director of the Peterboro', N. H., railroad.

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FOR WOMAN'S RIGHTS.

MISS ANTHONY'S PLEA FOR WOMAN SUFFRAGE.

The Home Vote Would be Doubled and Moral Influence Far Reaching

ALBANY, May 25.—Because of Miss Susan B. Anthony's inability to remain in Albany later than yesterday, the committee on suffrage of the constitutional convention gave a hearing to her yesterday afternoon. The scene presented was a curious one, for more than two-thirds of the audience were composed of noted lawyers of the state, while the other third were women anxious to have the word "male" stricken from the constitution.

Mrs. Greenleaf of Rochester was the first speaker, and she briefly outlined the condition of women at the time the present constitution was adopted and at the present time. She said that the voice of the governed should be heard in the government. Laws had been made for women, and women were now governed almost the same as men.

She then introduced Miss Anthony, who was received with loud applause. She went to the root of the question at once. She detailed the workings of woman suffrage in other states and countries. In England, spinsters and widows could vote if they were property holders. In Kansas women were given the right to vote on all school questions, and the results had been very good. Women were now doing the same work as men, in the same manner, but for half the pay.

Will Help Poor Women.

Enfranchise the women and the results will be different. The work for equal suffrage was not being done to help the wife of the millionaire, but to help the poor working woman, and put them on the same plane as the man of equal ability. Kansas had also granted women suffrage on municipal matters, and these, too, had brought good results. The governments were better, and that, too, was the case in the state of Wyoming, where women had been granted the right of suffrage for 25 years. The governors of that state were all in favor of retaining that feature, and the people there were hearty in their praise of it.

She said that Colorado was the first state in the Union where a majority of the men had gone to the polls and had there voted to give the women equal suffrage. As to the question of the removal of property qualifications of women in this state, she said it was the vote of the poor man that removed it years ago. If the women were allowed to vote now they would remove the word "male."

Another reason why they should strike it out was that of moral influence. Women were the controlling influences in the school, in the church and the charitable institutions. Men controlled the saloons, the gambling houses, the race tracks. "Put these in the balance opposite each other," said she, raising her hand, "and you will see that the material interest of the world will kick the beam. That's our side. That's why we should vote."

The question has been raised about the ignorant vote. There are fewer uneducated women than there are men. The prisons of the United States contain 55,000 men and 5000 women. There are fewer women without homes than men, and the floating vote would not be doubled by granting suffrage, but the home vote would be doubled and the floating vote minimized.

Not a New Hand.

"Does anybody want to ask me any questions? You need not be afraid. I have been on the stump for 40 years. If we could vote, you would not be afraid to argue."

Turning to the venerable Thomas Alvord, who sat on the committee, Miss Anthony said: "Mr. Alvord was an enemy of ours 27 years ago. Does he want to give a reason for it now?"

Amid laughter and applause, Mr. Alvord rose and said: "I would say to Miss Anthony that I sit here as a judge. The jury surrounds us, and when all is finished they will give to the women their rights."

In closing, Miss Anthony called attention to the fact that only unpardoned criminals, idots, lunatics, Chinamen and women were forbidden the right of franchise, thus classing women with a degraded class.

Admiral Hopkins' Courtesy.

BOSTON, May 25.—Vice Admiral Hopkins gave an informal banquet to Governer Greenhalge last night on board H. M. S. Blake. The colors of Great Britain and the United States were festooned side by side at the head of the table. A portrait of the queen also adorned the saloon where the feast was spread. Tonight the commonwealth will entertain the Britishers with a banquet.

Hatch Still Missing.

LACONIA, N. H., May 25.—The whereabouts of the missing young business man, Herbert C. Hatch, is still a mystery to his almost heart-broken wife and his numerous creditors. It has been ascertained that he did not visit Boston after he left this city last Saturday, and it is believed that he changed cars at Nashua Junction for New York.

One Boy Was Lucky.

BOSTON, May 25.—Will Norman Morrison, aged 8, and John Cotter, aged 9, were playing on the railroad bridge of the New York and New England road and were struck by a train and knocked overboard. Cotter was fatally injured, while Morrison received only a scratch.

Peytral May Try It.

PARIS, May 25.—M. Peytral had a conference with President Carnot yesterday, and at its expiration informed the president that he thought the task of forming a cabinet was beyond his power. But, he added, he would confer with his colleagues and would give his answer later.

Indiana Populists' Ticket.

INDIANAPOLIS, May 25.—The Populists nominated the following ticket: Secretary of state, C. A. Robinson of Fountaintown, Shelby county; auditor, Edgar A. Perkins of Indianapolis; treasurer, A. B. Keepert of Logansport; attorney general, Silas M. Holcomb of Tipton.

The Susquehanna Again Rising.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., May 25.—The rainstorm which set in yesterday is still raging and the Susquehanna river is again rising rapidly. People living on the lowlands on the west side of the river are making preparations to vacate their homes.

A Coming Society Event.

NEW YORK, May 25.—Cards are out for the wedding of Miss Ellen Windom, daughter of the late secretary of the treasury, and Bentley W. Warren of Boston. Harry Garfield, son of the late President Garfield will be the best man.

SENATE

Is Still Engaged in Partisan Strife.

SENATOR GORMAN CRITICISED BY HALE.

The House Fight on the Civil Service.

WASHINGTON, May 25.—The senate proceedings were enlivened by a short debate on Hawaii and a very sarcastic speech from Mr. Hale on Mr. Gorman's speech.

The Maryland senator, Mr. Hale said, had spoken none too soon. The Macedonian cry had gone up, like the wail of a lost soul, from the Democracy of the country for some one to appear as a leader in the senate.

He read from Democratic papers arraignments of the majority of the senate for the "surrender" of principle contained in the "Gorman-Brice bill." The senator from Maryland, Mr. Hale proceeded, had come forward with the effort of his life to re-form the broken Democratic ranks.

The speech made by the Maryland senator, added Mr. Hale, was made not to the country, but to his Democratic colleagues. Mr. Hale continued with vivid words and vitriolic comment to divide the Democratic side of the chamber into "groups," to which he said Mr. Gorman had addressed his remarks.

The "Groups" Described.

The first group, he said, comprised the two senators from New York, Messrs. Hill and Murphy, Mr. Smith (N. J.) and Messrs. Kyle and Roach. They represented constituencies opposed to this bill.

The second group—a large one—despised the bill before the senate, because it gave the lie to the convictions and professions of a lifetime. It contained Messrs. Mills and Coke (Tex.), Vest and Cockrell (Mo.), Vilas (Wis.), Gray (Del.), Palmer (Ills.), Lindsay and Blackburn (Ky.), Harris and Bate (Tenn.) and perhaps one or two others.

They were the men who when they were obliged to vote for protection to coal and iron ore, to the Sugar trust and Lead trust, would ask themselves: "Is thy servant a dog that he should do this?" Then they would all vote for these provisions and answer their own questions.

There was another group to which no appeal from the senator was necessary. It included Messrs. Camden and Faulkner (W. Va.), Morgan and Pugh (Ala.), Caffery and Blanchard (La.), Brice (O.), Gibson (Md.), and the great compromiser himself, Mr. Gorman, had given no anxiety to this group.

Why? Because they had secured all they wanted. It extended to the confines of the earth, but he repeated that they had got all they wanted.

Mr. Hale continued to point out in detail specifically what he termed the "price" paid for votes in the latter group, calling attention to speeches made by these senators in the past.

The bill as it now stood, Mr. Hale said, had no responsible parents. It was a political bastard. It was the result of the intercourse of those who had abandoned party principle with the easy virtue of a few protected industries and the habitual prostitutes of the trusts.

It was after 3 o'clock when the senate got down to actual work on the schedules. Very fair progress was made, eight pages (from paragraph 121 to 143 inclusive) being disposed of.

The surprise of the day was the acceptance by the finance committee of an amendment offered by Mr. Allen, the Nebraska Populist, to place barbed wire on the free list. Several Republicans opposed it, but did not carry their opposition to the extent of demanding a record-making vote upon it. An intimation from Mr. Hoar that free barbed wire was to be the price of Mr. Allen's vote for the tariff bill was indignantly denied.

A Week's Fight Ended.

After being under consideration for just one week, the legislative, executive and judicial appropriation bill was passed by the house.

The main fight was in the house after the bill had been reported back from the committee of the whole on the amendment declaring the laws authorizing the docking of members' salaries for absence repealed, and on the amendment refusing to provide for the civil service commission. Separate yea and nay votes were demanded on these amendments, when the first was lost by a vote of 104 to 128, and the latter by 80 to 158.

A yea and nay vote was taken on the amendment offered by Mr. Enloe striking out the appropriation for the salaries of the civil service commissioners and clerks, which the committee of the whole adopted by a decisive vote. It resulted: Yeas, 80; nays, 158. So the amendment was lost.

Another amendment proposed by Mr Caruth and agreed to in the committee of the whole, which was designed to still further emasculate the civil service commission, was defeated in the house without division, as was also the amendment to equalize the salaries of the assistant doorkeepers of the house.

The only amendments adopted yesterday in the committee of the whole and agreed to by the house were to increase the appropriation for publishing the postal guide from $15,000 to $30,000, and an additional item of $2500 for clerical service for the Dockery commission.

Mr. Terry secured the adoption of an amendment providing that each circuit court of appeals should be entitled to have expended for its use at least one-half of such surplus as they had accrued.

Mobbed the Police.

BERLIN, May 25.—The people of Kassel have been excited by reports concerning the ill treatment of police prisoners. Yesterday afternoon 300 persons mobbed a small force of police in Markeb square and sang the Marseillaise The Hussars were called out and restored order. Many persons were injured

On a Three Months' Cruise.

NEW BEDFORD, Mass., May 25.—Revenue cutter S. P. Chase sailed yesterday on a three months' voyage. She has a crew of 25 men and 12 cadets. She will make port at Corunna, Spain, St. Michael and Gardiner's Bay.

Standing of Maine Banks.

WASHINGTON, May 25.—Reports from 83 banks of Maine show loans and discounts amounting to $20,700,077; lawful money reserve, $1,416,694; individual deposits, $13,087,873. Average reserve, 34.44 per cent.

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Highland lodge, Royal Arcanum, celebrated its 8th anniversary last evening and held a grand banquet in Highland hall.

Many prominent guests were present including the following grand officers: Grand Regent Frank W. Reynolds of Jamaica Plain, grand orator William H. Simmons of Fall River, Grand Chaplain Samuel M. Tourtellot of Newton Centre, Grand Guide John E. McKenna of Waltham. Regent French, Vice Regent Whitman, Grand Vice Regent David and Thomas L. Dickey of Lowell council were also present.

A business meeting was first held and seven new members were admitted.

An adjournment was then made to the banquet hall where a fine spread was prepared.

After supper, Regent W. Dana Hill called to order, welcomed all present and spoke in complimentary terms of the work of Past Regent Jacob Murphy, the founder of the council, who has already brought 100 members into the council.

He introduced as toastmaster Past Regent A. G. Walsh, who was greeted with prolonged applause.

Mr. Walsh referred to the work of the council since its organization, and attributed a great part of its success to the efforts of Mr. Jacob Murphy.

A telegram expressing his regrets at his inability to be present was received from Past Grand Deputy Robinson.

Grand Regent Reynolds spoke of the strength of the order, which, he said, numbers 153,000 members, and is paying out $4,000,000 each year.

Grand Orator Simmons expressed a wish that every council had several such men as Past Regent Murphy and said that those who accepted office without accepting the full responsibility are not true to the best interests of the order.

Mayor Pickman spoke in a very happy vein. He spoke of the advantages of membership in the Royal Arcanum.

The other speakers were Mr. Jacob Murphy, Rev. R. A. Greene and Grand Chaplain Tourtellot.

It was 11.30 before the festivities came to a close.

POLICE COURT.

Hadley, J.

Deputy McQuade prosecuted the cases this morning.

Two were released, the others fined.

Frederick Haworth pleaded not guilty to the charge of non-support of his wife, Mary.

The latter said that her husband of late has not supported her at all, losing all his work, drinking hard and going places where he should not go. She worked hard every day to support herself and her daughter. He would not work steadily nor would he help her in any way.

Haworth said that his wife drank as much as he did, and admitted that his wife was a hard working woman. He hadn't been able to strike a steady occupation since last year when he was in court on a horse case.

Constable Conway testified that Haworth didn't work and had considerable trouble with his wife.

Judge Hadley in advising Haworth, who is an Englishman, said, "it may be the custom in the old country for a husband to stay at home while his wife works hard to support the family, but in this country, the husband is the head of the family, and the bread winner, while the wife presides over the home, and performs domestic duties." Haworth was taken on probation.

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THE CARPET strike is not yet settled.

THE WARSHIPS Blake and Tarter are visiting in Boston harbor.

GOV. FLOWER seems to be doing little else than vetoing bills these times.

THERE WILL soon be a new councilman from Ward Six and a new candidate in the field for representative.

THE DEMOCRATS have amazed their republican opponents in the U S. senate by getting together on the tariff question The senate bill is now pretty sure to be passed.

REPUBLICANS ARE now beginning to charge the democrats of congress with breaking their party pledges. That is comical.

THOMAS CALLAN is again the object of general sympathy in this city. His friends are in hopes that his injuries will not prove so serious as at first supposed

THE 400 feet from a school bill is so amended that it will not cause much disturbance to liquor dealers The line will be measured on the same street and not as an air line radius with the school as a centre.

THE LICENSE commission bill is now pretty sure to become a law It will change the political situation in most of the cities of the state No longer will the aldermen have a hypnotising power upon liquor dealers.

MAYOR RUTTER of Lawrence will now have an opportunity to give Mr Collins a place on the license commission in defiance of the aldermen The latter may confirm Collins in order to avert such a result of their obstinacy.

THE NEW BEDFORD Mercury talks of the tax on the net income of savings banks as if it were a 2 per cent. tax on deposits While the deposits of a bank may be millions, the earnings may not be much, may not be anything and a tax upon this something or this nothing is what is so loudly complained of.

IT DOES seem rather strange that Boston with a fire department supposed to be the best in New England suffers so much from fire. There is undoubtedly some secret cause which should, if possible, be revealed Possibly a little overhauling would be of use. To discharge all the principal officers, however would probably be a plan of improvement that would not be attended with the desired result.

AN INTERESTING trial has been concluded in the Superior court, Boston, resulting in a verdict for the plaintiff The Old Colony railroad sued to recover a fifteen cent fare from a passenger who refused to pay because he was not provided with a seat. The court rules that transportation alone entitles the company to the fare. The passenger could have left the train on finding no vacant seat but remained standing.

THE SPEECHES made at the convention of the Irish National Federation in Boston on Wednesday were the most convincing that have been heard in this state for years on the justice of the cause, the need of harmony and the wisdom of maintaining majority rule The leading spirits of the movement in Boston are T. B. Fitzpatrick, Dominick Toy and Daniel P. Sullivan They never stop working and are known throughout the state as indefatigable champions of the Irish cause.

THE OUTLOOK BRIGHTENING

The democrats in the U S senate are now united on the tariff bill and it is bound to pass despite the opposition of republicans. The senate bill makes the tariff lighter upon the necessaries of life and heavier upon luxuries. The removal of the tax from wool will probably aid the woolen industry. There is a sufficiently high tax upon articles of woolen manufacture. If free cotton has aided the cotton mills there is no reason why free wool will not also aid the woolen mills. The senate bill will probably be adopted with some slight changes by the house. The trouble will then be settled, business activity will reappear and the depression will be a thing of the past before the end of summer There are certain republican papers in this city and elsewhere which delight in predicting prolonged business depression and all kinds of disasters as a result of the delays of congress in settling the tariff question They do not acknowledge that the republicans in congress have been carrying out a policy of obstruction and causing all the delay possible But in spite of republican opposition times will improve, business will start up in all lines of industry and the predictions of the calamity howlers will be falsified Here is what Senator Gorman says of the present outlook

"After 20 years of political progress, of positive growth of constant development and of universal enlightenment the democratic party and the American people start within sight of the promised land Emancipation is at hand—emancipation from partisan oppression, from the greed of classes, from extortion, from wilful extravagance, from financial fantasy, from sports from restrictions upon individual liberty, from jingoism, from all those evils in brief which the democratic party inherited as a legacy from three decades of republican mal-administration"

Senator Gorman is in a position to know whereof he speaks, and he is thus sanguine of success.

It is just as well, therefore, for the pessimists to stop croaking and turn their faces to the returning light of prosperity peering from behind the gloomy clouds that hovered over the country for the past year Troubles there are to be sure, but they will disappear with the putting into force of the new tariff law and some of the worst evils of McKinleyism will be wiped out

Soon the policy of the democratic party will be vindicated, despite the opponents of the administration

A LAW has recently been passed in New York with the following provision

Any person who wilfully states delivers or transmits by any means whatever to any manager, editor, publisher, reporter or other employe of a publisher of any newspaper, magazine, publication, periodical or serial any statement concerning any person or corporation which, if published, would be a libel, is guilty of a misdemeanor"

At present in this state many persons think it is "smart" to impose a false story on a newspaper. Such a law would make them cautious. It does not, however, relieve the paper of any responsibility

CHUGWATER'S EXPLANATION.

It Made Him Very Uneasy, and He Started for That Money

"Josiah" inquired Mrs Chugwater as she poured the coffee, 'what does it mean when the papers talk about the financial situation being strained and the money market unsettled, and all that sort of thing?"

'It means that there is an uneasy feeling about securities," answered Mr Chugwater, reaching for another biscuit

"What does that mean"

"Why, stocks and bonds, and—um—speculative values generally"

'What makes them have an uneasy feeling?"

"It's the operators, you understand, the financiers, that have that When there comes a stringency in the money market"—

"In the money market? Do they sell money?"

"They sell securities, which is about the same thing, only they fluctuate in value The condition of the stock and bond market is an index of the financial situation generally"

"I don't seem to understand it any better than I did before," said Mrs Chugwater dubiously "What is it that makes money scarce sometimes? Does the government quit making it?'

"No It's simply withheld from investment in ordinary speculative channels It's withdrawn from circulation and hoarded up Can you understand that?"

"Yes, I suppose so What does anybody want to withdraw it from circulation for, Josiah?'

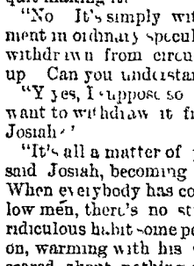
"It's all a matter of public confidence," said Josiah, becoming slightly impatient When everybody has confidence in his fellow men, there's no stringency It's this ridiculous habit some people have," he went on, warming with his subject, "of getting scared about nothing that makes panics Somebody has a little money in a bank He begins to be afraid the bank isn't all right, and he goes down town to take it out He tells some friend on the way down what he's going to do, and that friend tells somebody else and it spreads, and the first thing you know there's a run on a perfectly sound bank and all because some gould head has lost confidence And that reminds me," said Mr Chugwater, checking himself hurriedly and looking at his watch, "that I've got about $600 in old Gumbling's bank that isn't any too safe. I'm going right down town now as quick as I can get there to draw every cent of it out!"

And with nervous haste Mr Chugwater put on his hat and overcoat, shot out through the front door, and half an hour later was walking crazily back and forth on the sidewalk in front of old Gumbling's bank waiting for the doors to open —Chicago Tribune

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"Arrested on suspicion'"

"Hardly that No, it's no joke Some one stole my overcoat from a barber shop, and I went to a secondhand store to get something cheap to wear home Didn't want to leave more money in your town than I was obliged to, you know'

"I follow"

"Well, I found something that suited me for $5 I thought the price a little high even at $5, but while handling the coat I felt in the right hand pocket and found a wallet"

'Of course Our secondhand men knew that trick before Buffalo was founded"

Yes, I felt a wallet and planked down a 'V' and walked off with the coat The man wanted to send it to me, but would I don't let him get his paws on the garment again I couldn't hardly wait to get over to the hotel to examine the wallet"

"Yes, I know It always works that way"

"Say, boy how much do you suppose that wallet panned out?"

'Not a continental copper The dealer had a barrelful of old wallets to slip into pockets as he came across green horns from Buffalo"

'Well, yes, but if I didn't take $160 out of that wallet I'm a sinner! More than that, the clerk of the hotel saw me do it, and I set up the cigars for 20 men I hope never to breathe again if I'm not speaking the truth"

'How long ago was that?"

'About 10 years"

"And you still have the wallet?"

"I have There it is, and there's the affidavit I made before a notary as soon as I reached Buffalo."

'Well"

'Well?"

And then they looked at each other for a long time, and when they turned away each one felt that they might never meet again on earth —Detroit Free Press

Spreading Disease.

Various are the ways of spreading disease Some workmen tore down an old house in New Haven Soon an epidemic of diphtheria broke out among their families and friends They had carried the wood home for fire, and thus were spread germs of the disease which had raged in the house the year before An old feather bed was thrown into an open lot Children played with it, and three out of five died of scarlet fever, and the disease was almost epidemic in the community for a time Through ignorance or carelessness that bed had not been properly managed or it would never have been allowed to leave the disease stricken house except in ashes —New York Times

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It is a notorious fact that many of the families which have come to be regarded as typically Irish are of alien extraction Thus the Plunketts are of Danish origin the Burkes, Dillons Roches, Husseys and all the tribe of Fitz are Anglo Norman, while the Mitchells are English —London Spectator

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BANQUET

In England to Officers of Cruiser Chicago.

ENGLAND'S MOTHERLY AFFECTION FOR UNITED STATES.

Speeches by Prominent Men of Both Nations.

LONDON, May 25.—The banquet tendered to Admiral Erben, Captain Mahan and the officers of the United States cruiser Chicago by officers of the English navy and army and distinguished citizens of Great Britain was held last night in St. James' hall and was a brilliant success.

The principal table was placed upon a platform underneath the organ loft, from which hung immense English and American flags. Entwined Union Jacks and Stars and Stripes were placed in many parts of the hall. A broad band inscribed: "Blood is thicker than water," was suspended from the gallery, opposite the organ loft.

Four tables, extending the whole length of the hall at right angles to the principal tables, accommodated the other guests, numbering 300. These included the other officers of the Chicago and the leading lights of the nation.

A Work of Art.

Before each guest there was a beautiful menu card or brochure.

This consisted of sixteen pages. The frontispiece was a monochrome engraving of the cruiser Chicago, between the Union Jack and the Stars and Stripes, and was inscribed, "A hearty welcome to the Chicago." The second page contained portraits of Admiral Erben and Captain Mahan, and was surmounted with a device representing clasped hands between intertwined flags, with the scroll, "Blood is thicker than water," and the couplet:

When love unites wide space divides in vain,
And hands may clasp across the spreading main.

Other pages contained pictures of Westminster Abbey, Trafalgar square, Greenwich hospital and the disaster to the Trenton and the Calliope at Apia.

When the ladies entered the gallery in evening costume, the brilliancy of the scene was greatly enhanced.

The Speeches.

Lord Hamilton, the chairman, began the speechmaking by offering a toast to the queen and President Cleveland. He said that Queen Victoria and President Cleveland were the heads of the two great English-speaking nationalities of the world, the heads of governments whose authority was exercised over a large portion of the globe.

But it was not merely on that account that he asked them to drink to their health. He gave the toast with the hope that the rare qualities of these two persons might long continue to influence and sway the national policy of the two great countries of which they were the heads.

After giving the usual loyal toasts to the Prince of Wales and his family, and to the royal family generally, Lord Hamilton toasted the United States, saying Englishmen are proud of the progress that the United States has made in the present century, because they believed that the progress was largely due to the racial qualities which those who originally came from Great Britian transmitted to America.

Times Have Changed.

One hundred and ten years ago we parted in anger, after bloodshed; now we have met together as reconciled members of one family. The historic town of Boston yesterday received the British admiral and the officers of his flagship magnificently. He was afraid that the citizens of that great town were engaged 110 years ago in a less congenial operation.

Today it was our privilege to entertain a distinguished American admiral and the officers of his flagship (here there was a great outburst of cheering). One hundred and ten years ago the citizens of London were engaged in a less satisfactory operation of taxing themselves in order to punish the citizens of Boston.

The speaker saw opposite to him the historic words: "Blood is thicker than water." Nobody who had the privilege of being on the other side of the water could come to any other conclusion than that the sentiment was true, because there were between Englishmen and the great mass of the American community an origin and identity of language and similarity of ideas and pursuits which existed between no other two nations on the face of the earth. These great principles would not fail to bind the two nations in bonds of permanent unity. All then rose and drank to the toast amid tremendous applause.

Bayard's Speech.

Ambassador Bayard rose to reply, and was received with prolonged cheering. He said he felt deeply the honor of having been made the envoy to this country and this nation. The gracious reception that he had been given on numerous occasions in this great city and elsewhere in Great Britain made him feel the sincerity and reality of the welcome so expressed. In the name of his country and his countrymen he sincerely thanked them for the banquet.

It was a happy omen that it came upon the birthday of that benign and gracious lady whose devotion to public duty was clear and beautiful. Well might the British subject congratulate himself that he contemplated with affectionate admiration the home life of the true mother of her country, whose domestic virtues so illustrated her long and happy reign. Turning his eyes across the Atlantic, well might the American, of whatever party or race, congratulate himself that the virtues of innocent and guileless childhood, of life, integrity, manhood and womanhood, were clustered around the hearthstone of the President of the United States.

No other tongue spoken now by man contained that word "Home" more than the mother tongue of them all, and it was from home and through home that associations and impressions were formed that made the nation and the people and wrote their true history. He did not feel that this was an ordinary occasion of festivity. Hospitalities and courtesies came as thick and sweet as the blossoms in May, and mutual services were paid in time of need and sympathy and sorrow.

These, thank God, were exchanged abundantly between the two great branches of the English-speaking people. It was men who went down in deep ships who knew best the sympathies that bound the hearts of the sailors of the two nations. The sea that once divided mankind was now found to be its main means of intercourse.

Praise For America's Navy.

In times past, from no quarter had greater assistance been found than in the naval service of either country, and for the present he would speak of that country which it was his privilege and honor to represent.

If he had read the record of history aright, no man had written clearer and more valuable lessons for the relations of mankind in the use and knowledge of the sea than the officers of the American navy. It was an excellent thing to have a sea power, but it was tyrannous to use that power. Therefore, let the laws of equal force and the laws of morals proceed, and whoever should best exercise sea power in this world let him or them remember that power to be safe must ever be in the harness of the law.

The Other Speakers.

Admiral Hornby then toasted the United States navy. He said that the presence of the American admiral's flag as high up as Gravesend was unprecedented, but they all hoped that it would appear there again.

Admiral Erben, responding to Admiral Hornby's toast, said that never before was such a compliment paid to the American navy. He thanked those present, not only in behalf of the officers and men of the Chicago, but of every man in the American navy.

Lord Roberts then proposed a toast to Captain Mahan and the officers of the Chicago. He said they welcomed the American officers as brothers as well as distinguished guests, and alluded to their community of origin, sentiment and language.

Captain Mahan responded briefly. In conclusion, he toasted the British navy and coupled with it the sentiment that its future career might be as beneficent as its past had been glorious.

Admiral Commerell briefly responded to Captain Mahan's toast, and the proceedings closed with the band playing the "Star Spangled Banner."

A fantasia of American airs was played between the speeches.

When Mr. Bayard rose to speak the organ and band played "Hail, Columbia." Mr. Bayard was unable to speak for some minutes, owing to the tumultuous applause with which he was greeted. Every word of the speech, which was impressively uttered, was listened to with close attention.

A FIGHT WITH DEPUTIES.

Four Strikers Are Dead and an Unknown Number Injured.

UNIONTOWN, Pa., May 25.—The long threatened attack by striking miners on the pits of the Washington Coal and Coke company at Stickle Hollow in the Fourth pool district on the Monongahela river was made yesterday, involving another of the grim tragedies that characterize the irrepressible conflict. The fight was one of the fiercest in the history of the mining troubles in western Pennsylvania. Four strikers are dead and double that number are badly wounded, some of them mortally.

Thomas Kenan is the only American killed in the encounter with the deputies. The other dead men are Slavs. The wounded men who fell under the first volley from the deputies were taken off the field by the retreating strikers, and even now the actual number of wounded is not definitely known. It is, perhaps, too soon to attempt to apportion the responsibility for the killing, as many confused and contradictory statements are made.

The strikers furnished all the dead men; not a deputy was fatally hurt and only three of them wounded. The fight occurred in the public roadway leading to the Stickle Hollow plant. Two thousand strikers came out there to intercept the men on their way to work. Some carried Winchesters, while others were armed with shotguns, muzzle-loading rifles and revolvers.

Because of their threatening demonstrations and the fact that they had given notice to the company that they had come to drive off the deputies if necessary, there were ball cartridges in the Winchesters carried by the guards, and the entire outfit at the works was in general readiness to receive raiders. The deputies had specific orders, and it is admitted that the company ordered them to shoot to kill.

UNSYMPATHETIC AUDIENCE

Listened to Professor Smith In His Address to the Presbyterians.

SARATOGA, May 25.—The flirtation between the northern and southern Presbyterian churches has come to an abrupt close. The offer of organic union has been rejected by the southern body and each will now continue to pursue its separate way.

The Smith trial has begun in the general assembly, and will probably continue until tomorrow noon. The argument of Professor Smith was a great one, but, although pathetic, was addressed to an audience not at all sympathetic. The committee of prosecution occupied the afternoon and evening, arguing at great length and with great earnestness, but the audience was weary and the air bad. The moderator got tired and retired to the basement of the church for rest.

The report made touching the supposed death of Dr. George P. Hays was found to be a mistake. The telegram referred to the death of Dr. Isaac N. Hays of Pittsburg and was signed by Dr. George P. Hays himself.

Whittemore For Governor.

RUTLAND, Vt., May 25.—The Prohibitionists held their convention at Middlebury and nominated the following state ticket: For governor, Rodney C. Whittemore, St. Albans; lieutenant governor, Dr. L. W. Hanson, Barre; treasurer, John F. Leonard, Burlington; secretary of state, Henry R. Mack, Hardwick; auditor, Frank W. Wheeler, Richford; state committee, F. H. Shepard, Fairhaven, chairman; C. W. Wyman, St. Albans; George L. Story, Bakersfield; A. O. Ferguson, Burlington; W. H. Sargent, Royalton. Radical resolutions were adopted.

That Ocean Race.

LONDON, May 25.—The owners of the White Star line declare that their instructions against racing are most explicit. They add that there is no doubt that the captain of the Majestic did his best to avoid racing. The Liverpool manager of the American line said that he had telegraphed to Captain Randle of the Paris for the facts in regard to the reported racing across the Atlantic. Captain Randle replied that he had never deviated one degree from his course.

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Gov. Flower of N. Y. Talks Upon Patriotism.

BELIEVES THAT SIGHT OF FOREIGN FLAGS FLYING

InculcatesTruer Loyalty to the Stars and Stripes.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

ALBANY, N. Y., May 24.—Gov. Flower has vetoed the bill to prevent the display of foreign flags or emblems on public buildings.

In his veto memorandum the Governor says: "It is a questionable sort of patriotism which seeks the enactment of such bills as this.

"America is big and broad and free in its political tolerance, as well as in its territory, and such proposed legislation as this makes it seem small and narrow and clannish.

"Our population is made up of men of all nationalties. The blood of every foreign nation mingles here with that of the Anglo-Saxon race. It is this commingling of races that makes our American blood good and our nation strong and robust.

"Does it make the American of foreign blood any less an American to see the flag of his fatherland floating beneath the stars and stripes on our public buildings? On the contrary, it seems to me that while recalling the associations of his native land such a sight would remind him also of the reasons which induced him to leave that land and would stir within him new devotion to the republic which has given him equal rights and equal opportunities.

"If American patriotism is of such weak stamina that it can be allured by the display of foreign bunting, legislation like this cannot save it from speedy and utter ruin.

"I prefer to think that love for our country is of a deeper and stronger character—a love that is generous and tolerant, but is of unquestioned loyalty in times of real danger.

"The truest patriotism is that which is broad enough to ignore race or creed, and consider only the good of the common country.

"Such legislation as that proposed by this bill finds inspiration only in intolerance—in religion, in radical prejudice—in the false patriotism of narrow minds. It is un-American in spirit, and is opposed to the liberal traditions and progressive aims of the American people. It is based on a sickly sentimentality and should find no support among broad minded and sound bodied Americans.

"Let us not restrict the display of bunting; on gala days let us hoist the flags of all nations; but above all let the stars and stripes float triumphant, and thus, in our display of colors and emblems, we shall symbolize the varied, yet homogeneous, character of our population.

Joseph Healey Confirmed.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

BOSTON, May 24—The executive council today confirmed the governor's nomination of Joseph Healey, as police commissioner of Fall River.

Memorial Day Arrangements.

Inspector Warren of Woburn addressed the members of Post 42 G. A. R., last night, and Commander Hayes announced the arrangement for Memorial Sunday, when Senior Vice Commander Dolan will take charge of the post.

For Memorial day the post will form in four companies, officers as follows: First Co., Capt. I. B. Pendergast; 2d Co., Capt. P. F. Brady; 3d Co., Capt. Wm. Frederick; 4th Co., Capt. Charles Graham.

They will each select a lieutenant. At the conclusion of the parade a collation will be served in the Associate building by the Relief corp.

Post 185 G. A. R.

Commander Liddell's post will attend services at the Worthen Street Baptist Sunday morning.

On the morning of Memorial day delegations will be sent to Tewksbury and Chelmsford. For the parade the post will march in four companies, with the following officers: First Co., Capt. G. L. Cady, Lieut. A. B. French, 2d Co., Capt. G. A. Dickerman; Lieut. J. Q. A. Ferguson; 3d Co., Capt. C. W. Brigham, lieutenant, Arthur Hamblett; 4th Co., Capt. C. F. Emerson, lieutenant G. H. Smith. The color guard is as follows: Color sergeant, J. F. Thorning; banner sergeant, W. A. Kneeland; guards, O. C. Johnson, A. H. Cushman, C. E. Osgood, C. O. Frothingham, W. R. Hodson, W. R. Fowle. Markers, C. E. Andrews, F. E. Parsons.

Post 120 G. A. R.

The members of this post will go to Tyngsboro in the morning where exercises will be held.

Old Comrades Meet.

The Abbott Greys association which is made up of survivors of this company of the Second Regiment of Mass. Volunteers, held its twelfth annual meeting and reunion at the American house last evening. The following members we present:

President. J. W. Cook, Malden; vice presideots, James Francis and Richard Pendergast of this city; Dexter Butterfield, Dunstable; W. M. Lee, Chelmsford; J. W. Gelray, N. D. P. Foster, Boston; Theophilus Pickering, Rochester, N. H.; Mathew Huntley, Lowell; W. T. McAlpine. F. W. Buxton, Lawrence: B. N. Comey, Lynn; J. T. Huntley was also present as an honorary guest. Letters were read from absent members as follows: Silas T. Emery, Hampton, N. H.; E. K. Hayes, Stoneham; John Burns, Holyoke.

The following officers were re-elected: J. W. Cook, president; James Francis, Richard Pendergast, vice-presidents, and W. T. McAlpine, secretary and treasurer.

After supper, and when business had been transacted, the time was passed in pleasant reminiscences.

Mr Borjes' Testimonial.

The testimonial concert of Prof. E. J. Borjes at the Opera house last evening, was a delightful musical affair with a program which would suit the most critical. The Madrigal society sang at its best, and the sextet from Lucia by Mrs. Jenkins, Mrs. Tenney, T. F. Molloy, G. F. Sturtevant, F. R. Rix and Robert Leatham was worth alone the price of admission. The orchestral numbers by the Orchestral club and Symphony orchestra combined were magnificently executed. Each number received superb rendition. The only regret which those present had was that the audience was not larger. It ought to have filled every seat.

Card of Thanks.

To those who planned and assisted in carrying out the testimonial to me at the Opera house, last evening, I extend my sincere thanks.

EMIL J. BORJES.

GRADE CROSSINGS AGAIN.

COMMISSIONERS WILL SIT AT CITY HALL THREE DAYS.

More Evidenceiof the Dangers Attendant Upon Several Crossings Being Put in by City Solicitor Hogan.

The grade crossing commissioners held their third session in the public hearing room at city hall this morning. Owing to the delay in the arrival of one of the commissioners it was nearly 11 o'clock before the hearing on the Pawtucket grade crossing opened.

Mr. Murphy of the firm of Murphy & Bingham testified to seeing four or five vehicles in the vicinity. Once he was called to remove a sleigh with the runners broken.

Mr. Richardson objected to this on the ground that the witness was not present when the accident happened. He would protest against it being admitted unless there is some connecting link furnished by producing the person who drove the vehicle. It may be supposed that although the vehicle was found broken, it does not follow that it was the result of a dangerous crossing; it may have been that the team was driven by an incompetent person, said Mr. Richardson. Mr. Hogan interposed that he intended to show certain circumstances from which facts might be inferred.

The commissioners decided that the connecting link must be produced in order to have the testimony admissible. Direct testimony should be produced.

Then followed a discussion in which the commission called upon the stenorapher to look up a statement, alleged to have been made by Mr. Hogan, saying that he was willing to have any testimony stricken out which was not given by witnesses having personal knowledge thereof.

Witness had in mind another goddard buggy which he found smashed and lying about 10 feet off the crossing, just beside the highway.

Rev. Fr. Burke of St. Patrick's church said he was driving over the tracks one day and while turning out to let a team pass, one of the axles on his buggy was sprung.

Doctor Sherman also testified to having had a team injured by getting it caught on the tracks.

George L. Fowler,

who lives in the vicinity of the grade crossings, told of three accidents he saw occur at the crossing on Pawtucket street.

He never had an accident happen to any of his teams.

Michael J. Maguire, a resident of Varney street, experienced an accident on the crossing. He also saw a wheel taken off a team belonging to Mr. Byfield, a painter, and a runner snapped from a farmer's sleigh. Both of these accidents were caused by the vehicles getting caught in the tracks.

Rodney F. Heminway told the commissioners that trains pass by the crossing at the rate of thirty miles an hour.

Gilbert Hodges, a civil engineer of 16 years actual practice, 10 of which were spent in the employ of street railway companies and 6 years in the employ of steam railroad companies, said he had engineered the building of 40 or 50 grade crossings and had prepared plans for bridges and other means of going under or over highways.

The location of his work was in many states and territories. Had worked for the B. & L. railroad for 5 years and 3 months. The cost of making the proposed changes in the grade crossings would be about $102,000. He considered the Pawtucket grade crossing dangerous, firstly, on account of the very acute angle at which the railroad crosses the highway, so that teams must try and pass the track at a certain angle in order to avoid the groove in the tracks. In other words, teams coming in either direction endeavor to cross at a right angle with the result that collisions are liable to happen. Secondly, all trains cross at a high rate of speed and there is no station in the immediate vicinity of the crossing. Thirdly, the approaches to the crossing are rather steep, so that horses drawing heavy loads are liable to stop for a rest when they reach tracks; and fourthly, the view of the tracks is obstructed.

Questioned by Mr. Richardson relative to the plan proposed by the railroad people providing for making a crossing at Foster street and cutting through land owned by the Lowell and Suburban Street railway and Mr. Parker, Mr. Hodges replied that he should accept this plan only on condition that it was the only means remaining of getting rid of the grade crossing.

Charles A. Allen of Worcester, a civil engineer, considered the crossing dangerous for the same reasons that Mr. Hodges had given. He considered the estimate of $102,000 given as the cost of making the changes at the Pawtucket crossing according to the plan proposed by the city as a very good one. The plan itself he thought, is proper and feasible and the best one of which he knew. The Pawtucket grade crossing is a peculiar one and there are very few in the state so bad as it.

The first witness for the B. & M. railroad, was Wm. E. Hanson, a checker in the B. & M. freight house, who was commissioned by Mr. Paige to ascertain the number of vehicles and persons passing the crossing. He paid no attention to trains. On April 24, the afternoon stormy, there crossed the tracks, 117 carriages; 104 teams; 100 persons on foot; and 405 persons in all. On April 25, a fine day, there passed over the crossing, 152 carriages; 93 teams; 148 pedestrians and 597 persons altogether.

Charles E. Paige.

Agent Paige of the B. & M. road, testified that regularly there are thirty passenger trains and nineteen freight trains, excluding shifters. On an average the shifters cross by Pawtucket street, eight times each day.

On being questioned by Mr. Hogan, Mr. Paige admitted that in summer there are two more trains running north, than in the fall or winter.

After further questioning, Mr. Paige also said that outside of these two trains, the road had also discontinued the 12 o'clock train out of Boston.

The hearing then adjourned till tomorrow at 10 o'clock.

ANOTHER MINE HORROR.

Engine Which Drove the Ventilating Fan Broke Down.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., May 24.—The engine at No. 5 mine of the Wilkesbarre coal company broke down this morning. It disabled the fan which supplied air to the mine. Messages were sent by telephone to the miners but it is feared many will not escape alive.

The Memorial Committee.

The joint special committee appointed by the city council to prepare a suitable memorial on the death of the late Councilman Benson of Ward Six, will meet at 7.30 o'clock tomorrow evening.

The committee consists of Mayor Pickman, Aldermen Westall and C. R. Johnson, President Sparks, Councilmen Rourke, Ryan, Sanborn and Hills.

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For Salem and Lynn, 12.15, 5.10 p. m.

For Newburyport, 12.15, 2.40, 3.25, 6.15 p. m.

For Exeter, and Dover, 8.30 a. m.; 12.15, 3.25, 5.10, p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.35 p. m

For Rochester and Alton Bay, 8.30 a. m.; 12.15, 3.25 p. m.

For Somersworth, N. H., Salmon Falls Saco and Portland 8.30 a.m.; 12.15, 3.25, 5.10, p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.35.

For Augusta, Bath, Lewiston, 8.30 a. m.; 12.15, 3.25, 5.00 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5 35 p. m.

For Bangor; Belfast, Waterville, Skowhegan, Rockland, 8.30 a. m., 12.15, 5.10 p.m. SUNDAYS, 5.35 p. m.

For St. John N. B., Montreal, Quebec, 8.30 a. m., 5.10 p. m. (5.10 does not run Saturdays); SUNDAY, 5.35 p. m.

For Eastport and St. John's (per steamer), on Mondays and Thursdays at 12.15 p m.

Southern Division.

Trains leave Merrimack Street Depot, Lowell,

For Boston—5 45, 6 30, †6 50, *7 45, *850, †9 25, *9 50, 11 00 a. m.; *12 10, 1 35, 2.10, †3.00, 4.30, †5 40 p. m. SUNDAYS, †7 45, 8 45, *9 15 a. m.

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For Ayer Junction and Way Stations—7.15 a. m.; 12.00, 5.10 and 5.49 p. m. SUNDAYS 2.15 p m.

For Amherst, Milford and Wilton—9.14 a. m.; 12.57, 3.43, 5.42 p. m. SUNDAYS 2 p. m.

For Greenfield, Peterboro', Bennington, Hillsboro' and Keene—9.14 a. m. and 3.43 p. m.

For Nashua, Manchester and Concord 7.43, 9.14, 9.45, 12.11 a.m.; 12.57, 1.47, 3.43, (5.04 Nashua only), 5.42, 6.22, 8.13, 8.43 p.m. SUNDAYS 10.00, a. m. to Nashua only), 2.00, 6.00 8.13, 8.43 p. m.

For Penacook, Franklin, Lebanon and White River Junction—9.14, 9.45, 12.11, a. m.; 1.47, (5.42 Franklin only), 8.13 p. m.

For Warner, Bradford, Sunapee, Newport, (N. H., Claremont and Claremont Junction—9.45 a.m.; 1.47p. m.

For St. Johnsbury and Lyndonville via Wells River—9.45 a.m.; 1.47 and 8.43.

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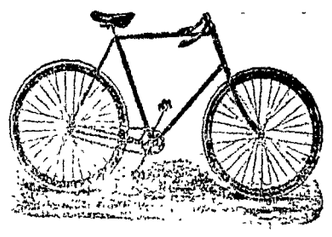
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SUN WEATHER BULLETIN.

ALMANAC FOR FRIDAY, MAY 25.

SUN RISES..... 4 14 | MOON RISES..12 61 AM
SUN SETS..... 7 09 | FULL SEA { .. 2 45 AM
LENGTH OF DAY..14 55 | { .. 3 30 PM

Forecast for Maine: Showers; increasing northeast winds

For New Hampshire and Vermont: Showers; north winds

For Massachusetts: Showers; high northeast winds.

For Rhode Island and Connecticut: Showers; winds shifting to west.

Fooling the People.

You can fool some of the people all the time; you can fool all the people some of the time; but you can't fool all the people all the time by getting out a second-hand newspaper. Compare THE SUN with other local papers.

LOCAL NEWS.

Smoke Tower's Corner Cigar.

Sunday will be Memorial Sunday.

James R. Green and wife of Lowell were registered at the Crawford house, Boston, yesterday.

There will be an athletic meeting and bicycle racing at the First street oval on Saturday, June 9th.

The Odd Ladies met last evening and made arrangements for holding a strawberry festival at an early date.

Washington Commandery, Golden Cross, admitted one new member, last evening, and arranged for a festival to be held June 14.

The trustees of the Edson cemetery, last evening discussed the seizure of the Donovan and Gannon land for cemetery purposes.

Mr. F. H. Butler of this city attended the banquet of the graduating class of the College of Pharmacy in Boston last evening.

There will be a special meeting of the Emerald associates this (Friday) evening at 7.30 to take action on the death of Bro. David Murphy.

The band concert by Post 42 under the auspices of the merchants in the vicinity of city hall, which was postponed last week will be given this evening, weather permitting, on city hall lot opposite the Merrimack Clothing Co.'s store.

Wamesit lodge, M. U. O. F., held a ball in Manchester Unity hall last evening, and an enjoyable evening was passed. The officers were: Floor director, W. Walsh, N. G., aids, Joseph Bottomley, Robert Gourley, J. McDougal, W. Blake and W. Mack.

The marriage of Mr. Alton B. Bryant and Miss Helen C. Hanchett occurred yesterday afternoon at the parsonage of the First Congregational church, Billerica. The ceremony was performed by Rev. D. W. Hardy. The happy couple will reside in Dracut.

The anniversary of Bay State colony, Pilgrim Father was observed by a supper and a dance at Bay State hall, last evening. Owing to the stormy weather, the attendance was not as large as was expected. Supper was served in the banquet hall, and there was dancing afterwards.

President L. W. Weeks of the Cigarmaker's union will start next week on a trip through eastern Massachusetts, New Hampshire and Maine, and will deliver addresses in the different cities of these states on the practical advantages to be gained by encouraging and demanding the blue label on all cigars.

Eight teams are entered in the duck pin bowling tournament at the Lowell Reform club. The game attracts a large number of the members each evening. The contests are very exciting, and the greatest enthusiasm prevails. The record so far, for this week, is held by Williams, who scored 145 pins.

A year book is to be published at the First Congregational church, by the pastor, similar to those issued by other churches. In the book will be the names of members, and a directory of church attendants. It will also give interesting facts about the church and its departments. The year book will be for distribution among the members.

Ladies' Suits and Garments.

George F. Stiles, deputy sheriff and messenger, will sell by private sale, by order of the court of insolvency, all the stock in the store occupied by the Beaver Cloak company, in Hildreth building, consisting of ladies' cloaks, capes, suits, &c., at less than cost. Sale opens today.

Among the Bicyclists.

Bloomers on women cyclists may be seen any fine day in the vicinity of Franklin park, Boston. The garb has not yet blossomed in Lowell.

Lanterns are beginning to appear after dark. The riders are simply preparing for the new law and its enforcement.

William F. Courtney has not yet mastered the "bike" but his partner D. J. Donohoe is ready to try a run to Boston.

The Governor's Reception.

The American orchestra, E. J. Borjes, director, will render the following program at the reception to Gov. Greenhalge in Huntington hall, next Monday evening:

"The Star Spangled Banner"..... .....Key
March, "Gov. Greenhalge"..... .....A. Mirault
Composed and respectfully dedicated to His Excellency, Gov Greenhalge.
Overture, "Der Freischutz"..... .....Von Weber
{a—"Marzanillo," Danza Mexicana . Robyn
{b—"La Troika," Russian dance.....Braham
Cornet solo, "War Memories".....Levy
R. McDaniel.
Selection from De Koven's comic opera, "The Fencing Master"..... .....Arr. Wiegand
Xylophone solo, "Southern Melodies..... Stobbe
H. Dufresne.
Finale, "Before the Footlights".....Bendix

Under a Foreign Name.

A delightful "Kaffer Klatsch" or in English, coffee party, was held in the Eliot church last evening under the auspices of the Young People's society of the Christian Endeavor. The party was largely attended considering the condition of the weather. The church vestry was prettily decorated with evergreens, and the tables were neatly arranged about the room. The Lyceum orchestra discoursed sweet strains during the evening. An entertainment consisting of readings by Miss Bessie Adams and solos by Mr. Fred Lee and Mrs. Burns was enjoyed. The kitchen was in charge of Miss Mary Miller and Miss Sadie Stanton had general charge of the supper.

Another Driven Well Plant.

A meeting of the water board was held last evening, for the purpose of opening bids for 500 tons of coal, but owing to the unsettled condition of the coal market the opening was deferred.

The question of the driven well supply was talked over, and Mr. Fels spoke of the uneasiness that is manifested by the people of Centralville, because they are not receiving pure water, and he advised driving a few test wells in the vicinity of Lakeview avenue; near the Dracut line.

Mr. Cook, who was consulted, believed that a good supply could be found there. Enough wells will be sunk to test the matter thoroughly, and if the conditions are promising, it is not impossible that we may have two driven well plants in operation before the snow flies.

Dr. Colburn DENTIST 61 MERK ST.

Next time try Old Hundred.

T. C. Lee, Fire Insurance, Donovan Bl'dg.

Wall paper at 18 Church street.

People who were thinking of the beach and mountains a month ago are changing their minds.

E. B. Carlton is confined to his home on Belmont street from injuries received by a fall down stairs.

Patten & Co. have the finest potted plants and cut flowers in the city. Shedd's block, Central street.

The contract for grading and curbing city hall lot has been signed and work will be commenced at once.

Several members of the Knights of Columbus attended a big meeting of the order in Lynn last night.

Call at J. J. Gaynor & Co.'s, 35 Prescott street, and get prices on refrigerators and ice chests. Low prices this week.

The voters of Ward Six are to meet tonight at the ward room on High street to take action on the death of Councilman Benson.

The Merrimack Woolen mills, by Agent Fels, is in receipt of an official copy of the award of the World's Fair for the display of shawls.

A true, life like photo is something everybody admires. Marion makes that kind. Visit his studio in Barrister's hall and have a setting made.

Miss Lena McIntyre, who sang at Miss Noyes' recital Wednesday evening, has presented to many of the young people who recently participated in the Cadets' kirmess, photographs of herself as remembrances.

The "great military men" of the high school battalion will have a busy week beginning Sunday, when they march to the memorial services in Huntington hall; drill on Monday; go to Reading on Tuesday; march in the parade on Wednesday.

A prominent out-of-town lawyer who was waiting in the Northern depot, Wednesday, for a Boston train, after attending court, remarked to a SUN man that "the new depot would make a good ornament for a country village. Why don't they have a few more rooms scattered around?"

High School Drill Postponed.

Owing to the threatening weather the drill of the High school battalion which was to have occurred at the Dracut oval, this afternoon has been postponed until Monday.

Concert for the People

Prof. A Mirault has volunteered to give a concert by his band of 20 pieces to the people of Lowell on the South common next Monday evening from 7.30 to 9 when the following program will be rendered:

Gov. Greenhalge's march .....A. Mirault
Columbia, Gavotte ....L. Frederic
Grand American Fantasia
Cornet Solo, . . . N. Demarais O. Casey
Poet and Peasant, overture . .....Von Suppe
Love's Golden Dream, waltz . . T. Bonheur
Bridal Rose, overture ..... . C. Lavalbet
Rosy Cheeks, schottische.. .....L. P. Laurendeau
Adeste Fideles, hymn . . . . . Arr C. Bever
Boston Commandery, march.....T. M. Carter

MERRITT RELEASED.

The Boston Club Was Carrying Too Many Catchers, It is Said.

BOSTON, May 25—Catcher Billy Merritt was yesterday released by the Boston club. President Soden said that the club was carrying too many catchers, and decided to release Merritt because he was dissatisfied. The game with the Washingtons scheduled for yesterday was postponed because of the rain.

At Cleveland:

Pittsburg.....	1	0	0	0	1	0	2	2	—6
Cleveland	4	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0—5

Base hits—Pittsburg, 9. Cleveland, 8. Errors—Pittsburg, 4; Cleveland, 4. Batteries—Killen, Ehret and Mack; Young and O'Connor.

At Chicago:

Chicago	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0—3
St Louis	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0—1

Base hits—Chicago, 7; St. Louis, 8. Errors—Chicago, 6, St. Louis, 1. Batteries—Hutchison and Kittredge; Breitenstein and Peitz.

At Louisville:

Louisville....	0	0	0	4	0	2	0	0	0—6
Cincinnati	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—0

Base hits—Louisville, 10; Cincinnati, 6. Errors—Louisville, 1; Cincinnati, 2. Batteries—Menefee and Grim; Parrott and Vaughn.

At Bangor—Worcester, 8; Bangor, 7.

At Lewiston—Lewiston 19; Brockton, 2.

Seeking Foreclosure For Northern Pacific.

CHICAGO, May 25.—The Farmers' Loan and Trust company of New York, the holder of the $30,000,000 mortgage on the property of the Northern Pacific railroad, filed an amended and supplemental bill for foreclosure in the United States circuit court yesterday. The bill was filed under an order issued by Judge Jenkins at Milwaukee, and under the same order the defendants are directed to plead answer or demur.

Tay Pay's Opinion.

LONDON, May 25.—T. P. O'Connor, M. P., says that last night's division in the house of commons on the budget is looked upon as being an extremely critical moment for the government. The Conservatives, he adds, anticipate that the government will be defeated or that they will pass the budget by a small majority.

For Thieves to Be Extradited.

LONDON, May 25—The extradition of Adolph and Moutague Bernard, who were arrested here April 24, on the complaint of Isaac Levy, a fur dealer of New York city, who charged them with the embezzlement of furs, checks and money, to the extent of $20,000, was granted yesterday.

A Left-Handed Honor.

LONDON, May 25—In the senate of Cambridge university the proposal to confer an honorary degree upon the Duke of York, son of the Prince of Wales, was challenged, but on the motion being put to a vote it was carried by 137 to 6.

An Unknown Wreck.

MANITOWOC, Wis., May 25.—The captain of the tug J. P Clark reports having discovered the topmast of a vessel sticking out of the water between Sheboygan and Manitowoc, three miles from land. Nothing is known of the ill-fated craft.

Queen Victoria's Birthday.

LONDON, May 25—The birthday of Queen Victoria (she was born May 24, 1819) was observed throughout England, although the official celebration of the event will not take place until tomorrow, according to custom.

Breckinridge Is Busy.

WASHINGTON, May 25.—Representative Breckinridge left today for another round of speeches in his district. He spent yesterday in court working on the bill of exceptions in the appeal from the decision in the Pollard suit.

Keeping an Eye on England.

PARIS, May 25.—M. DeLoncle is to introduce into the chamber of deputies the question of the British treaties with China, Italy and Belgium, alleging that they are a violation of French rights and existing treaties.

Wants to Wind Up.

LONDON, May 25.—A petition has been filed in the chancery division of the high court of justice asking for the winding up of Dalziel's Atlantic Telegram company.

For a Gold Standard.

BERLIN, May 25.—At a meeting at Friedricroda of the German Banking association, a resolution in favor of a gold standard was unanimously adopted.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

Royal Baking Powder

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BAY STATE LEGISLATURE.

FOREIGN CONTROL OF HOME COMPANIES DISCUSSED.

The American Bell Telephone Company Not Included in the Stock at Auction Bill Other Stock Companies.

BOSTON, May 25—In the senate the bill to corporate the New England and New York Rai[illegible]pany was engrossed

The report of the committee on water supply against authorizing Gloucester to construct a system of water supply was accepted.

The bill to prevent foreign corporations from issuing stock or other securities upon the property, franchise or stock of street railway, gas or electric corporations was given a third reading, 20 to 8.

Amendments to the house bill to regulate the use of bicycles and similar vehicles were proposed, chief of which was one to substitute "suitable alarm bell" for "continuously sounding automatic bicycle alarm," which was adopted, as were a few perfecting amendments. The bill was then put over until Monday.

Mr. Miller moved to reconsider the engrossment of the bill as to licenses to saloons within 400 feet of schools, and it was done. He then moved to strike out the provision allowing hotels with more than 25 rooms within this limit. The senate adopted the amendment striking out the exemption of first-class hotels and then engrossed it.

The senate amendments to the license commission bill, that the commissioners shall hold no other office and may be removed after a hearing, were concurred in.

The senate amendments to the state fire marshal bill were concurred in. They fix the salary at $4500 and continue the office of the Boston fire marshal 30 days.

Reconsideration prevailed on the vote whereby the house rejected the bill authorizing the inspector of industries at the state prison to assume control of the penitentiary in the absence of the warden and the deputy warden. Rejection of the bill was then negatived.

The house refused, by a vote of 78 to 103, to include in the stock-at-auction bill a clause including the American Bell Telephone company, and passed the bill to be engrossed.

Senate amendments to the bill relative to the issue of stock and bonds by gas and electric light companies were concurred in.

TROOPS ORDERED OUT.

Mob of Foreigners Attacked a Sheriff's Posse at La Salle, Ills.

LA SALLE, Ills., May 25.—A mob of 1000 coal strikers, none of them English-speaking, raided the shaft of the La Salle County Carbon Coal company here last evening, and in a conflict with the sheriff and his deputies five strikers, Sheriff Taylor and two deputy sheriffs were painfully wounded. The mob closed in on the officers and a hand-to-hand fight ensued. Three men were arrested, but one of them was released on the men threatening to tear down the jail and burn the city hall.

SPRINGFIELD, Ills., May 25.—Governor Altgeld this morning telegraphed for five companies of the Fourth infantry to report at Centralia, and four companies of the Seventh to report at La Salle at once.

A Government Victory.

LONDON, May 25.—Sir John Lubbock, in the house of commons, moved the budget committee be empowered to divide the budget bill into two parts and to embody the provisions respecting the sinking fund in a different measure. The motion was rejected—161 to 121. The announcement of the government's victory was greeted with prolonged Liberal cheers. The debate was expected, in some quarters, to prove the downfall of the Rosebery ministry.

A Timely Discovery.

LONDON, May 25.—The police in Brussels have discovered a large quantity of dynamite cartridges, bombs and explosive materials hidden in a sugar refinery in Hornu. It is believed to be the secret store from which the anarchists concerned in the recent bomb explosions in Belgium procured their supplies.

Rights of Cyclists

PORTLAND, Me., May 25.—Walter Rumery was brought up in the police court, at the instigation of the League of American Wheelmen, charged with running down Alfred Walker. The prisoner was remanded until tomorrow This case will decide what right the cyclists have on public highways

Attempt at Train Wrecking.

NORTH ANSON, Me., May 25—An attempt was made to wreck a passenger train near this place. An iron rail was placed across the track. The engineer saw it in time to slow up, but not until the locomotive struck the iron. The train was thrown from the rails, but no damage was done.

A Self-Confessed Robber.

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., May 25—Daniel J. Cote confessed to having stolen diamonds and rubies valued at $20,000 from the trunk of H. C. Barnum, and was sentenced to four years' hard labor in the state's prison. Henry McCann was discharged for lack of evidence to convict him.

Dean of Radcliffe.

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., May 25.—It is announced in Philadelphia that Miss Agnes Irwin is to become dean of Radcliffe college. She does not authorize the announcement of her acceptance, but her friends say there is no doubt but that she will accept.

Weybosset Mills on the Market.

PROVIDENCE, May 25.—Arrangements are being made for the sale of Taft & Weeden's Weybosset mills, Olneyville. Since the strike few operatives have been employed, but capitalists are anxious to take the property and continue work.

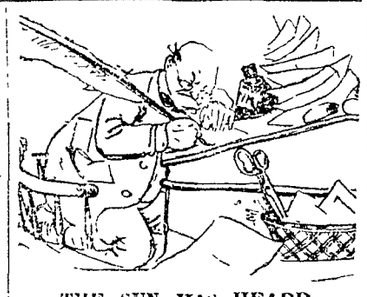
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formerly of Fifth avenue, New York, successor to Emerson, tailor, 65 Central street, has received the latest novelties in foreign and domestic suitings, coatings, and trouserings, for spring wear.

Money loaned on endorsed notes, personal securities and second mortgages on real estate by J. B. Swift, 9 Barristers hall. Telephone 405-4.



THE SUN HAS HEARD.

That there is great rivalry between electric car men on the Lakeview avenue line and the driver of the police patrol, to see who can make the most trips on Saturday night.

That the police patrol is ahead at present.

That a lady in the Highlands has never seen the police patrol.

That she is very anxious to see it.

That she does not live in the neighborhood where police signal boxes are located.

That the newly made wine merchants are feeling very tired.

That there was a wooden model of Capt. Meigs' engine upon Fletcher street until a few months ago.

CHANGES NEEDED.

How the Revision of the Ordinances Will Affect the School Board

Relative to the revision contemplated in the city ordinances, probably there will be less changes made in that part referring to the schools than any other chapter of equal importance.

The committee appointed to revise the ordinances will be requested to make a change in that section providing for the election of a superintendent of schools, so that said election may take place annually in June, instead of July or August, as now required.

This would obviate the necessity of a meeting of the school board in July or August, and will otherwise expedite matters.

Another change rendered necessary by the erection of the new county truant school is in that section relating to the care of truants. The change recommended is, that the clause stating that truants shall be sent to a house of instruction or reformation in said city, shall be changed so as to have truants sent to the county truant school.

Another section that must necessarily be changed owing to the erection of the new truant school is that concerning a suitable place of confinement for truants. The revised section will state that "the new county truant school is hereby assigned, as provided, as a place of confinement and discipline of truants."

LABOR NEWS.

A meeting was held last evening to organize the employes of the Middlesex company's mills.

Wednesday the organizing committee of the C. L. U. distributed circulars to the employes of the mill, announcing that a meeting would be held in Jackson hall last evening, for the purpose of banding the operatives into a union. At the appointed time, comparatively few people had assembled in the hall.

Chairman Buckley called to order and stated it was desirable to have a large attendance before talking on the subject of organization. He thought that the storm interfered with the attendance.

Secretary Weeks said that it looked to him as though there is no lack of desire on the part of the employes to organize. He hoped that all present would induce the other operatives to attend a meeting next Thursday evening.

The meeting can be a secret one and the operatives can go ahead with their organization without any show. The committee does not intend to organize the employes for the purpose of having them strike or demand a higher scale of wages.

Transfer of Truants.

It has not been determined as yet how the transfer of truants will be made from the institution at city farm to the new truant school. Supt. Whitcomb says that in his opinion this matter rests entirely in the hands of the judge of the police court.

It is stated, however, that all truants now at the reform school will be transferred to the new truant school, as soon as the latter is opened. None but truants and probably stubborn children will be received at the new school, as it is not considered proper to allow truants to mingle with persons sentenced for petty breaches of the law, as is now the case at the city institution. The opinion has been freely expressed, that such companionship instead of reforming a truant has had a tendency to lead them into the first steps in crime.

Good Templars' Entertainment.

The lady members of Scotia lodge, I. O. G. T., entertained the gentlemen members and friends at Caledonian hall, last evening. The attendance was very large, the hall being crowded during the whole evening. The entertainment program included bagpipe selections by Andrew Scott; recitation, Miss Alice Young; vocal solos by Agnes McKinley, Agnes Brown, and Winnie Vosburg; selections by the Chelmsford street quartet; duet, Guy Frazer and Agnes Brown; readings, Katie Young and Maud McRae; harmonica solo, Fred Aubrey; bagpipe selection, Mr. Frazer. After the entertainment ice cream and cake were served, and games enjoyed.

Praise for Merritt.

In commenting on the release of Billy Merritt from the Bostons, the Herald says that he had been singularly unfortunate in injuring his thumb. He will have little difficulty in signing elsewhere and for more money than he received in Boston.

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Ladies' fine tailor-made Cutaway Suits, in either Serge or Covert Cloth, trimmed with braid, one of the latest designs, would cost you $15 to have made.

$6.50
Ladies' fine tailor-made Tuxedo Suits, of All-Wool Storm Serge, coat half lined with satin, a great bargain, as you could not buy the material for the price.

$3.75
Ladies' tailor-made suits of blue or black Serge, tight-fitting, would cost you $6 elsewhere.

An immense assortment of Ladies' Duck, Grass Linen, Percale and Drill Suits, with Vests to match, at $1.50, $1.98, $2.50, $3.50, $4.50, $5, and $6.50, the most complete stock of these goods ever shown in Lowell.

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$10.

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75 dozen Men's Laundered Fancy Shirts, only 50c. each. These goods are positively sold in Lowell today at 75c.
1 lot of Fancy Bosom Shirts, in blue, pink and lavender, a regular $1.50 article, only 75c. each.
40 dozen Fancy Shirts (laundered), collar and cuffs attached, sold everywhere at $1.25, our special price Friday and Saturday 79c. each.
1000 Printed and Woven Cheviot Shirts, 36 inches long, made with sloping shoulders, banded collars, deep yoke, nothing like them anywhere less than 75c., our price 49c. each.

Tremendous Hosiery Bargain.

200 dozen Seamless Half Hose, regular price 17c. a pair, our price for Friday and Saturday 3 pairs for 25c.

Collars and Cuffs.

200 dozen 4-ply Linen Collars, new shapes, regular price 17c. a pair, our price for 2 days only, 11c. each.
100 dozen pairs of Cuffs, made from same quality linen, square or round corners, only 19c. a pair.

Night Robes, Neckwear, Suspenders.

One lot of Night Shirts, made to sell at 75c., our price for Friday and Saturday 49c. each.
One lot of Neckwear in new shapes and colors, sold everywhere at 50c., our price 25c. each.
1000 pairs of Suspenders, regular price 25c., down to 12 1-2c. a pair.

A Few Words With the Ladies.

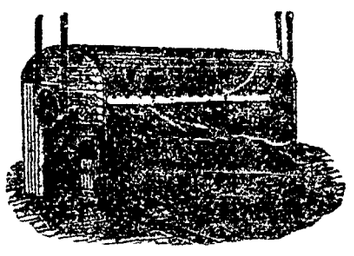
Today we make an offering of great interest in Summer Gloves, Parasols, Hosiery, Underwear. The magnitude of the offering, the novelty and beauty of the styles, the astonishing variety, the matchless cheapness, should intensify people to give this occasion prompt attention.

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☞THE SUN is the only paper in Lowell receiving The Associated Press, cable and telegraphic despatches. Most of the news items in this issue can be found in the other local papers tomorrow, if you are willing to wait till then.

NORMAL SCHOOL

Lowell Won the Battle With Lawrence.

SCHOOLS GO TO FITCHBURG, NO. ADAMS AND CAPE.

Vote Stood 123 to 46 in Lowell's Favor.

Lowell has won the normal school.

The vote was taken at 12.30 today and the bill providing for schools at Lowell, Fitchburg, North Adams and the cape was passed.

Lawrence was beaten 123 to 46.

It's a great victory for the Lowell representatives.

LOCAL NOTES.

Great bargains in shoes at Boulger & McOsker's. See their windows.

Children's russet spring heel, sizes 5 to 8 only 39c at Boulger & McOsker's.

Best place in Lowell for poor people to buy shoes is at Boulger & McOsker's.

The graduating exercises at St. Michael's school will occur Thursday, June 21st.

Have you seen the shoes they are selling for 99 cents and $1.23 at Boulger & McOsker's?

The trolley wires on the Chelmsford Center branch of the street railway are in position.

Boy's shoes, sizes 11 to 2 only 75 cents; sizes 3 to 5½, 85 cents at Boulger & McOsker's.

Work has been commenced on the grading and laying out of city hall lot. Contractor O'Hearn intends to rush the work.

Misses Annie and Maggie Daly and Margaret Kelly are going to sail for Ireland Saturday morning. They will visit friends in London and Edinburgh on their way home.

O'Donnell & Gilbride want the men to call today and tomorrow and buy from the gents' furnishing goods department where goods are the latest and most seasonable. See advertisement.

The Criterion has a special bargain sale today and tomorrow of shirt waists, silk waists and percale suits; 50c. shirt waists for 24c., suits worth $8.50 for $1.87 and silk waists worth $6 for $3.50 are a rarity.

DEATHS.

Agnes Scannell, aged 1 year, child of Bartholemew and Mary A. Scannell, died Wednesday night at their home, 535 Westford street.

Patrick McSorley, aged 64 years, died yesterday at his home, 24 Cedar street.

Mr. David Murphy, formerly in the employ of the Lowell Gas company, died at his home, 118 Adams street, yesterday afternoon. He is survived by a father, mother, brother and five sisters. Deceased was a member of the Emerald association and of the Wolftone guards.

McManmon, florist, Prescott & Merr'k sts.

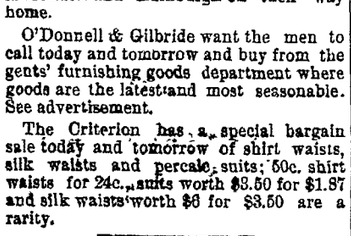
Records Were Broken.

The 999th and the Glendons were the contestants in the duck pin game at Les Miserables alleys last evening. The former team broke two records by making a team string of 496, and a three string total of 1428. Dan. Donahue was right in the game, gained a lap on John B. Swift by beating his single string record by one pin. Dan scored 112 last evening The team play of the 999th was very even. McLaughlin bowled his first game in the tournament and made a good score. The score follows:

999th—H. Farwell 270, D. Donahue 301, Savage 284, McLaughlin 283, Brown 289; total 1428.

Glendons—Wilson 282, Seede 249, Peters 240, Dooley 284, Daigneault 250; total 1202.

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THEY'LL ACCEPT

Politicians Who Are Sawing Timber for Office.

LICENSE COMMISSION BERTHS ARE IN VIEW.

Mayor Pickman Will Have a Host of New Friends.

At the state house today, a bill which was originally intended to take the license question out of politics by the appointment of a license commission, went to Gov. Greenhalge for his signature or rejection.

After spending much time on the matter, the law makers finally decided upon how it should appear when a law.

Amendment after amendment was made and we find that the bill as finally changed leaves the matter of appointing commissioners in the hands of the mayor.

But is the license evil remedied by the appointment of commissioners by the mayor?

It may be to some extent, yet the liquor traffic cannot be said to have been entirely removed from politics, for the mayor's appointees will be under obligations to the mayor, and he will, if he chooses, reward his constituents with licenses through the men he appoints.

There will be no crooked aldermanic fighting with the commission, thank goodness, for the aldermen will cut no figure whatever, with the men who grant the licenses.

The candidates are of course very numerous; they are for any public office where there is prestige, if but little cold cash. In the matter of appointments the public is desirous that none but the best qualified will be appointed by the mayor. He has shown himself to have been very anxious about the local licenses and very careful that only respectable and well appointed places should get licenses. He even went around with the license committee for that committee being composed of aldermen was liable to be less critical in its inspections than he would be and besides being aldermen they might inspect the name and "pull" of the applicant rather than his victualling facilities. He went around and saw the places and afterwards besides making two or three little speeches signed all the licenses granted by the aldermen. In their recommendation, they made no mistakes, all of the 77 had proper victualling facilities, even those where a stove without a pipe, two chairs, a table and a broken plate constituted the "facilities."

Who are the candidates?

It is thought that Willis P. Burbank might be coaxed to take an appointment. He's a good republican and at present is among the unemployed. He has, it is said, congressional aspirations. So has the mayor, according to report. If a license commissioner Burbank would not aspire for congress for awhile, not an aspirant for the nomination, the mayor's chances would be better and therefore Burbank would make a good license commissioner. But, Mr. Burbank isn't doing a great amount of talking, while, it is said, the buzz of a saw is often heard in his back yard.

A. G. Thompson is a man prominent in republican circles, and had the governor the power to appoint, it is probable Mr. Thompson would be a commissioner.

Hon. C. D. Palmer has been mentioned as a candidate for one of the offices, but it is hardly probable that he would accept an appointment.

Whenever a public office is looking for a man to fill it, and there is the least chance for a republican to jump into it, up bobs serenely Col. Al. Pindar, the star of republican office seekers. The colonel would make a first class commissioner if experience with people who drink liquor counts for anything. He has had charge of the city farm to which drunks are sent, and upon retiring from the service at that place, he opened a place in Middlesex Village where drunks were sent to be cured of their appetites for liquor. Now, he is mentioned as a man who would know to whom to grant licenses to sell liquor.

"Bill" Hayes knows where the licensed places are for he sells many of them cigars. "Old Hundred" is mentioned as a candidate for the office, but it is whispered that Bill is looking for an "Hon" and hasn't time to bother about license commissions.

Ex-Superintendent Horace P. Beals might find time for the job.

The mayor and Lawyer John J. Harvey are great friends, doing business in the same office. Mr. Harvey's chances for an appointment are said to be quite good.

Of course Col. Jim Bennett stands a show, so do Ex-Mayor Jewett, Albert Wheeler, Albert Crowell, Charles Carter and Frank L. Weaver.

Among the democrats there are some very desirable candidates spoken of, though their chances with our non-partisan mayor are not very good. There is Cassius B. Pierce of the American Express company, whom many would like to see in the position. Then another desirable man is George F. Blair of School street, a staunch democrat. Mr. Blair has never sought public office although often solicited. He is in the real estate business and is accounted wealthy. Frank B. Dow's name has been mentioned.

Councilman John G. Gordon of Ward Two is a pronounced candidate for the position. He is a good democrat and a graduate of Brown university. He is popular or he would not have been elected in that ward.

Among the other democrats mentioned are Col. Haggett, ex-Alderman Butterworth, Hon. Jeremiah Crowley and Fisher H. Pearson. But the crop on both sides is a growing one, and as frosts are not likely to come the crop will be a generous one and Mayor Pickman will have to borrow a magnifying glass to find the man he wants in the clamoring throng.

T. D. PIPES BURNED.

Small Blaze in a Cigar Shop To-day Was Probably Caused by Rats

The alarm from box 25 was occasioned by a slight blaze in the cigar manufactory of Henry P. Flood, No. 434 Merrimack street

The fire started in a box containing matches and these together with a few boxes of T. D. pipes and a small portion of the counter under which the matches were stored, were damaged.

Mr. Flood and his two assistants were in the rear shop when the fire started. It is supposed that rats among the matches caused the fire. The damage will not be great, but it is amply covered by H. C. Church & Son, liberal insurance agents.

Why Not.

If you are economizing why not look over your printing bills and see if you are not paying too much for printing. Call at this office and get prices on your work, and see if we cannot save money for you.

FROM OUR ARMORY.

NOTES OF INTEREST RELATING TO APPROACHING MUSTER.

One of the New Rifles on Exhibition—The Militia Will be Equipped With Them in Three Years—Cadets Have a Campfire.

The talk is all "muster" at the armory. Companies C and G of the Sixth Regiment and the Ambulance Corps are ready for muster. The latter goes into camp a week from Monday, and the others on Tuesday. Passes good for Thursday and Friday of muster week have been distributed to the men; the officers will have passes good for the week for distribution. This is the first year of discrimination in this respect.

The order that racks will not be allowed in the tents has caused a demand for a new style of rack, which will get around the order. It will not do to have clothing or guns piled on the floor, so Armorer Farns worth has gotten up a new arrangement which is far better than the old one.

Capt. Mitten attended the meeting of the Ninth Regiment officers in Boston, yesterday.

Visitors to the muster field this year must either carry their own luncheons or go into Framingham for refreshments. No more complimentary meals to visitors.

The Ambulance Corps, Lowell division as usual has issued a neat "at home" card. The boys will not keep "house open" as in years past but will nevertheless be "at home" in every sense of the word to their friends.

The Cadet company had an informal spread in its rooms after drill last night, and to members of other companies the aroma of coffee gave evidence of a fine spread. The guests were Mr. Gid White, A. A. Hovey, Frank Howes, C. W. Brigham, C. E Osgood and F. A. Dutton. A general good time followed the "feed."

A rifle team of seven men captained by Lieut. Worthen will compete against the crack team of the Sixth regiment at Wakefield next week.

The New Rifle.

Armorer Tom Farnsworth has one of the new magazine rifles on exhibition. It is a fine weapon, finely finished and even artistically mounted if such a thing is possible. The barrel is of small size for the calibre is only .30. The bayonet is an adaptation from the European "cheese stabber," or sword bayonet. It is of blue steel. The magazine carries five cartridges. It is a hammerless gun, the firing pivot having a sliding movement. About two inches from the firing point, and projecting from the side is a steel swivel. This is the ejector. In position it is down, but after firing it is pulled upward and toward the breech thereby ejecting a shell from the chamber and loading the chamber from a small magazine.

The swivel is then pushed into place. The one operation of pulling up the ejector, sliding it back and then returning it to position suffices to load and cock the gun. It can be discharged very rapidly. One thing is quite evident, when the rifle comes into general use the "carry" will be dropped from the manual, ordinarily, as the ejector swivel interferes with the carry. Already the companies in the regular army using the new rifle have been relieved of the carry in ordinary drill. The militia will be equipped with the new rifle in three years. The cartridge is copper cased and the ball is a spherical lead filled copper case. The bullet will go through a man leaving a clean round wound. The wounds are the same as those inflicted by a Mannlicher rifle ball.

NOT OF THE MAIN HERD.

None of Mr. C. I Hood's Celebrated Jerseys Among Those Burned Wednesday Night.

From a humane standpoint, the loss of some of Mr. Hood's jerseys by fire at Lowell, Mass., Wednesday night, is deplorable. From a financial standpoint the loss, if any, is trifling, as it is well covered by insurance, and the standing of the herd is in no way affected, as the number that perished is insignificant in so large a herd, and did not include any of his celebrated animals.

With the additions that Mr. Hood has recently made to his stock, the Hood farm herd of Jerseys is one of the largest and [illegible], if not the best, in the world. Had this fire occurred in his main barn the loss would have been irreparable. Fortunately, however, it was in another farm, and the stock consumed, having been bought recently in the West, had never entered his main herd.

It is Mr. Hood's habit, and it is a wise one, to isolate or quarantine from the rest of the herd any stock recently purchased, and not commingle them with his main herd for months, until constant inspection by his veterinary surgeon has assured him that the health of each animal is perfect.

Following this custom, the animals destroyed by fire were quarantined at the time of the fire.

Where is Annie Gannon?

Does anyone know where Annie Gannon can be found?

Her sister, Kate McGovern of Orange, N. J., came here yesterday to see her, and after searching the city failed to find her.

Her sister is the wife of a man named John Gannon and three weeks ago was working in a local restaurant. She formerly was employed at McCoy's restaurant.

Mrs. McGovern's address may be had by calling on Mrs. Wallace, matron at the police station.

Boys,

now is your chance, a bat and ball given with 1 pound of our 50c. tea purchased this week. The U. S. Tea Co., corner Central and Prescott streets.

The Usual Democratic Majority.

RICHMOND, May 25.—The municipal elections throughout Virginia passed off quietly. Generally the results were simply a ratification of the will of the Democratic majority throughout the state.

Likely to Spread.

PROVIDENCE, May 25.—An epidemic of malignant diphtheria has broken out here. Nine cases were found in one section of the city There is every reason to believe that the disease will spread.

A Good Capture.

PARIS, May 25.—Three anarchists, named Guerin, Beaulieu and Gauch, have been arrested. Gauch is worth 600,000 francs. It is asserted that he has supplied the anarchists with funds.

Fought In the War of 1812.

PROVIDENCE, May 25.—William Cooper died yesterday at East Providence. He was born in 1793, and lived in the same place 96 years. He was a veteran of the war of 1812.

How Peru Does It.

LIMA, May 25.—Several prisoners, charged with political offenses, have been removed to Callao and placed in dungeons. Among the prisoners is Poet Chocano.

THE SUN Job Print leads them all. Try us.

BIG SENSATION

Real Live Tramp Stirred Up the Police Court.

AN UNBRIDLED TONGUE LET LOOSE MADE A SCENE.

Unknown Individual Has Gone to Bridgewater.

There was a big sensation in police court this morning.

Among the prisoners was a real live professional tramp, whose name and history were unknown.

He had been loafing around Tewksbury for the past few days and was arrested by Constable Allen Buchanan.

Buchanan had a tussle with him when arresting him.

He was charged with being a vagrant and when the lengthy complaint had been read the clerk said:

"What do you say?"

"I say nothing. I don t know what I am here for; I walked along the road molesting no one and that ——fool arrested me."

"Shut up" said Officer Bumps.

"I'll shut you up—quick" responded the tramp.

While Officer Buchanan gave his testimony the prisoner sat in the dock with a wild look on his bronzed features, muttering and cursing to himself.

"Do you want to ask him any questions? He says you're a tramp, begging food at different houses" said the court.

"Whom do you want me to ask questions? I never did him wrong."

"I was walking within your town limits, not troubling anything or anybody.

"I am a tramp, I live at no home. My home is in the free air." This was followed by a volley of oaths.

"Who are you talking to?" asked the court.

"I'm speaking to myself. Then you speak to yourself. I am my own counselor and advisor." More oaths.

He was sentenced to the state farm at Bridgewater for 8 months, and the court ordered him to be removed at once.

Officer Bumps put his hand on the savage prisoner and the latter went at him with the yell: "Take your hand off me"

Officers Breen and Ingalls and Agent Drury rushed to Officer Bumps assistance, and the tramp's desire to clean out the court room suddenly vanished.

Down stairs he made another fight, but was finally put in a cell

The man is evidently a maniac of the most dangerous character.

SPORTING GOSSIP.

While talking about bowling the other night with "Veteran" Jim McLaughlin, the latter expressed his desire to see a change in bowling. He said that 30 years ago, when bowling was all the rage and the basement of the old Museum building was used for alleys, the leading game was candle pins. "Why," said he, "we would no more think of using big pins, such as we now use, with big balls than to use big balls in the duck pin tournament. 'Greenies' from the country would use the combination, but bowlers would use candle pins. I believe in cutting down the size of the pins, to half way between the present size and duck pins. Use the same balls, and put the pins on the same spots: then you would see scientific work. The game at present is not scientific; all of us ought to make better scores with the chances offered."

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There will be less boating on the river this year than ever before, yet Stevens, the boat builder, says the boating will come around again when the boys decide "that cycling is too much work."

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A knot of prominent club men were taking club matters the other day. Vesper men predominated and accordingly they had their say, which was upon the benefits to be derived from an amalgamation of the present clubs in this city. For instance, the Vespers need an athletic field very much, a field where all sorts of sports could be carried out. If the club had the Dracut oval up near the club house the acme of perfection would be reached. But a suggestion was offered that a big down town club be formed with the Vesper house for the summer annex and the Dracut oval for its field. In large cities a club house is in town and its adjuncts a few miles away. But in small places people want everything in their own dooryard.

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The first season of the Miserables club has shown pretty conclusively that the East Merrimack street club house is handy. With a fine approach as will come when the new bridge is completed this fact will be illustrated more fully. It is understood that financially the season has been successful for the club; surely, it has been a success socially. With better times, as will surely come, and more money in people's pockets next winter, the club should make an effort to meet the demands of its club members, or rather branch out and make a good down town club of it. There is room for it, and properly organized it will succeed; more than that existence of the bowling alleys has contributed not a little to promoting sobriety and good order. Many a man has paid ten cents for bowling and thereby obtained exercise and enjoyment from the sport who previously used the money to buy beer.

PERSONAL.

Charles A. Whittet has accepted a position as manager of the Briggs conservatory at Taunton.

Mr. and Mrs. George H. Wood have gone on a trip through the west.

Dr. Solon Bartlett is improving daily.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Cameron of Westford and Mrs. Kebler have returned from Jamaica.

Miss Lea Brunnette has gone to Biddeford, Me.

Mrs. John I. Gibson and the Misses Kidder of Nesmith street have gone to Mt. Vernon, N. H., to spend the summer.

Henry Latour of Central Falls, R. I., is visiting friends in this city.

Mrs. E. D. Heselton of Durant street, is entertaining Miss M. F. Blake, formerly of this city.

Mrs. Charles S. Lilley is now resting well, and the chances are very favorable for her recovery.

Mrs. James B. Field has gone to New York, to visit her sister.

C. E. A. Bartlett has been chosen a director of the Peterboro', N. H., railroad.

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RAILROADS ARE KICKERS.

TALK OF SUITS FOR LAND DAMAGES MADE TODAY.

Hearing on the Abolition of the Pawtucket Street Grade Crossing Continued—Only a Few People Were Present

The railroad people continued the presentation of the testimony on the question of abolishing the Pawtucket grade crossing before the commissioners at city hall this morning. Outside of counsel and reporters only about a dozen persons were present.

President Brooks of the Nashua & Lowell railroad said that his company will oppose any movement toward making a change in the grade of the railroad. If a change must be made let it be in the grade of the highway; let the road cross the tracks, at a right angle. The grade in the tracks of the Nashua & Lowell road is higher at the Pawtucket crossing than at any other point. The Nashua & Lowell road owns the land on which its tracks are laid, and should any change be made in grade of tracks, it is probable the company will sue for land damages, which may amount to almost as much as the cost of the change proposed by the city. If a change is made in the grade of the tracks, it will cost more to run the road. If a change must be made his company favored running the highway over the tracks.

The expense will be less than altering the grade of the tracks. The change proposed by the city would make a rise of 26 feet to the mile in the grade of the tracks.

He then proceeded to compare the cost of the change proposed by the city and the Nashua and Lowell road, but Solicitor Hogan objected to this going in as evidence.

Mr. Brooks said he did not want to have it go in as evidence.

Some time was then spent looking over a map, which showed the location of the different towns.

Frank B. Rowell, a civil engineer, who has been employed by the B. & M., and B. & L. railroads for 21 years, 8 of which were spent in general work and 13 in railroad engineering, said the actual maximum grade of the railroad from Boston to Nashua is 15 feet to the mile. He has prepared a plan to run the railroad over the highway

Connecting With Foster Street.

This plan will raise the railroad seven feet. This change if carried out will cost about $52,790, exclusive of land damages.

He also prepared an estimate of the cost of the change proposed by the city, with the same conditions as the city engineer had prepared his plan except that he changed the grade of the road from 21 to 15 feet and found

It Will Cost About $134 915.

The estimates provide for three tracks only though the bridge spoke of would be wide enough for four tracks. If four tracks are put in use instead of three, it will make a difference of about $1000.

A prospective view was produced showing the plan of the proposed

Separation of Grades

as prepared by the railroad engineers.

In reply to a question by Mr. Richardson, as to what additional burden it would be on the railroad to increase the grade, Mr. Rowell said that on a grade of 15 feet to the mile, the road's heaviest engine can haul 1521 tons. On a grade of 21 feet to the mile, it would draw 1303 tons.

Questioned by Solicitor Hogan Mr. Rowell admitted that

He Appeared Before the Aldermen

a few years ago and presented a plan, for a change at Pawtucket crossing by which the tracks would be depressed 2 or 3 feet. By this means the regular grade would not be increased. He prepared an estimate of a plan to run the street to the right toward the ice houses and having it run over the tracks and

It Would Cost $46,880,

exclusive of land damages.

Mr. Rowell estimated the cost of the bridge according to the city's plan at $35,000.

The city engineer's estimate fixes the cost at $10,000.

Mr. Rowell did not think the bridge could be built for that amount. The only place the difference of $25,000 in the cost of construction could be, is in the iron work or superstructure of the bridge.

Carroll H. Wright, a bridge builder since 1849, has built bridges in various places in the country. He has constructed bridges for about every railroad in Massachusetts. He has looked over estimates of the cost of changes proposed by the city engineer. He believed it a very dangerous crossing at present. "I have been building grade crossings for the last 20 years, and the history of them is to cross at right angles, if possibly."

"How long ago was this discovered?" inquired Mr. Hogan, in a jesting way.

Mr. Wright further said that it would be no element of danger to railroad traffic by having a bridge built over the highway, 75 feet long on an angle of 45 degrees. Relative to pedestrian's travel, he considered there would be danger, because you run along the track for about 700 feet. The danger is not so much when you are under the bridge, as when you are on either side of it. He did not know of any other bridge in Massachusetts where the angle is so sharp, as it would be in the one proposed by the city.

"We will rest our case here," said Mr. Richardson.

President Brooks of the N. & L. road had some evidence he desired to present, but was unable to produce it today.

In view of this fact Mr. Richardson suggested the consideration of the other grade crossings.

Mr. Hogan objected to taking up the others, until the Pawtucket crossing is disposed of.

Mr. Brooks, Mr. Hogan and Engineer Bowers then conferred in the reporter's room.

They were out about 25 minutes and upon returning Mr. Brooks stated that Mr. Rowell's testimony was supplementary to what he had intended to offer, at least that part relating to the diversion of Pawtucket street so as to have it run through the ice-houses. He considered Mr. Rowell's testimony as very judicious, and he favored the plan of having the highway run over the tracks.

Mr. Brooks then stated that he would rest his case here but a few moments later re-called Mr. Rowell and asked him the amount of injury would be done the N. & L. road were the grades changed. He replied that the increased expense would be about $16,200 annually which capitalized at 5 per cent., would amount to $400,000.

Of course their estimate is based on the usual methods given by authorities on this subject.

Mr. Brooks claimed that, to him it seems that the law is unconstitutional which would not allow his company to recover damages, for injury done their land. His company owns the land on which its tracks are built, and if the city's plan is adopted, they will certainly come back on the commission for $400,000 damages.

It seems very funny that we are compelled to pay 65 per cent of the cost, for injuring our own property.

LATEST

MORE BLOOD

Miners Tear Down a Jail in La Salle.

MILITIA ORDERED OUT IN ILLINOIS TODAY.

Mines Have Been Fired by Infuriated Men.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

SPRING VALLEY, Ill., May 25.—A body of miners numbering 500 started from this place at 2 a. m. for La Salle. Reports from that place state that the miners fired the coal shafts, and tore down the jail liberating the men who were arrested yesterday for participating in a riot.

Militia Ordered Out.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., May 25.—Gov. Altgeid has ordered out the Fourth infantry, as the sheriff at La Salle telegraphed that his force was unable to cope with the miners who are destroying much property.

MARION, Ill., May 25.—The miners here are arming themselves, and if threats are carried out there will be bloodshed. At Carbondale, Cartersville and Murphysboro' a conflict between strikers and the men at work is hourly expected.

THREATENED TO KILL.

SO IT IS SAID OF MARY POWLINSKI.

Arrested on a Peace Warrant Asked for by Prentiss Webster, Esq., Today.

Mary Powlinski, aged 58 years, stopping on Chapel street, was arrested this morning in the police station on a peace warrant.

It is said she threatened to kill Prentiss Webster, Esq.

Mr. Webster complained of her conduct and a peace warrant was made out.

This morning she went into the police station, presumably to denounce Mr. Webster, and was locked up.

The woman is probably mentally ill and laboring under the impression that Prentiss Webster holds money in trust for her and is trying to cheat her out of it.

It is said she came here from Worcester some time ago and told Deputy McQuade a long story about some property of hers which the late General Butler held in trust and it is supposed owing to Mr. Webster's relations to the late general that it is the same money about which she is now troubling herself and the police.

It is said that Mary came to this country from Ireland many years ago. She went to Worcester and there married a Polish Jew named Powlinski.

He was a merchant and amassed considerable property which on his death he left to his two brothers.

Mary retained Gen. Butler, it is understood, to look up her rights, and he gave an opinion that she was not entitled to the property.

The brothers agreed, voluntarily, it is said, to keep Mrs. Powlinski for the rest of her life. It is said that Mr. Webster was recently engaged by her to again look up the estate and his opinion was the same as that of the late Gen. Butler. Mrs. Powlinski appears to entertain the idea that Mr. Webster is keeping her share of the property from her.

FROM THE WIRE.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

The senate committee in the investigation of charges of bribery of Senator Kyle and Hunton, in relation to the tariff bill, reported to the body this noon.

The examiners of the Boston custom house returned to Washington this noon. Appraiser Dodge will finish out his term.

Mr. Gladstone is reported as comfortable today.

READY FOR SIGNING.

License Commission Bill Sent Into the Governor.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

BOSTON, May 25.—In the senate this morning, the license commission was passed for enactment and ordered sent to the governor. It is not thought the governor will consider it till Monday.

Pronounced Insane

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

BOSTON, May 28.—James Dinan who shot Alderman Lomanski at city hall some weeks ago, was pronounced insane today and ordered removed to the Worcester insane asylum. During his confinement he exhibited signs of insanity.

Died by Wife's Hand.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

GREENLAND, N. H., May 25.—William Weeks, an old and prominent citizen of this place died today from an overdose of aconite accidentally administered by his wife who thought it was jamaica ginger.

Look Out For These.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

BOSTON, May 25—A new counterfeit $5 silver certificate series of 1891, check letter c, plate No. 5 is reported today. It is a dangerous one.

THE CARPET MILLS.

Surprising Change in the Schedule Affecting Brussels Weavers.

The notice was issued today by Agent Lyon at the Carpet mill that the ingrain department would start up full time Monday and the Brussels department shut down for three weeks next Friday.

Off for the Old Country.

The following Lowell residents leave Boston tomorrow on the Cunard line steamer Cephalonia for a three months visit to the old country: Mary E. Fogarty, Mary Mitchell, Norah Quigley, Maggie Quigley, Annie McGrath, Bessy Dennan, Bridget Kettle, Mary O'Sullivan, Margaret Kelley, Delia S. Kane, Mary Kerrigan and Annie Flaherty all booked through Murpoy's steamship agency.



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EIGHT YEARS OLD.

ROYAL ARCANUMITES OF HIGHLAND LODGE MADE MERRY.

Their Anniversary Was Fittingly Observed With a Big Supper and Interesting Post Prandial Exercises.

Highland lodge, Royal Arcanum, celebrated its 8th anniversary last evening and held a grand banquet in Highland hall.

Many prominent guests were present including the following grand officers: Grand Regent Frank W. Reynolds of Jamaica Plain, grand orator William H. Simmons of Fall River, Grand Chaplain Samuel M. Tourtellot of Newton Centre, Grand Guide John E. McKenna of Waltham. Regent French, Vice Regent Whitman, Grand Vice Regent David and Thomas L. Dickey of Lowell council were also present.

A business meeting was first held and seven new members were admitted.

An adjournment was then made to the banquet hall where a fine spread was prepared.

After supper, Regent W. Dana Hill called to order, welcomed all present and spoke in complimentary terms of the work of Past Regent Jacob Murphy, the founder of the council, who has already brought 100 members into the council.

He introduced as toastmaster Past Regent A. G. Walsh, who was greeted with prolonged applause.

Mr. Walsh referred to the work of the council since its organization, and attributed a great part of its success to the efforts of Mr. Jacob Murphy.

A telegram expressing his regrets at his inability to be present was received from Past Grand Deputy Robinson.

Grand Regent Reynolds spoke of the strength of the order, which, he said, numbers 153,000 members, and is paying out $4,000,000 each year.

Grand Orator Simmons expressed a wish that every council had several such men as Past Regent Murphy and said that those who accepted office without accepting the full responsibility are not true to the best interests of the order.

Mayor Pickman spoke in a very happy vein He spoke of the advantages of membership in the Royal Arcanum.

The other speakers were Mr. Jacob Murphy, Rev. R. A. Greene and Grand Chaplain Tourtellot.

It was 11.30 before the festivities came to a close.

POLICE COURT.

Hadley, J.

Deputy McQuade prosecuted the cases this morning.

Two were released, the others fined.

Frederick Haworth pleaded not guilty to the charge of non-support of his wife, Mary.

The latter said that her husband of late has not supported her at all, losing all his work, drinking hard and going places where he should not go. She worked hard every day to support herself and her daughter. He would not work steadily nor would he help her in any way.

Haworth said that his wife drank as much as he did, and admitted that his wife was a hard working woman. He hadn't been able to strike a steady occupation since last year when he was in court on a horse case.

Constable Conway testified that Haworth didn't work and had considerable trouble with his wife.

Judge Hadley in advising Haworth, who is an Englishman, said, "it may be the custom in the old country for a husband to stay at home while his wife works hard to support the family, but in this country, the husband is the head of the family, and the bread winner, while the wife presides over the home, and performs domestic duties." Haworth was taken on probation.

James Riley and John Duffy, the youths who were charged with stealing a watch and chain from Michael Cleary, while the latter were drunk, on Front street, last week, were found guilty. Riley was fined $15 and Duffy was put on probation.

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THE CARPET strike is not yet settled.

THE WARSHIPS Blake and Tarter are visiting in Boston harbor.

GOV. FLOWER seems to be doing little else than vetoing bills these times.

THERE WILL soon be a new councilman from Ward Six and a new candidate in the field for representative.

THE DEMOCRATS have amazed their republican opponents in the U. S. senate by getting together on the tariff question. The senate bill is now pretty sure to be passed.

REPUBLICANS ARE now beginning to charge the democrats of congress with breaking their party pledges. That is comical.

THOMAS CALLAN is again the object of general sympathy in this city. His friends are in hopes that his injuries will not prove so serious as at first supposed.

THE 400 feet from a school bill is so amended that it will not cause much disturbance to liquor dealers. The line will be measured on the same street and not as an air line radius with the school as a centre.

THE LICENSE commission bill is now pretty sure to become a law. It will change the political situation in most of the cities of the state. No longer will the aldermen have a hypnotising power upon liquor dealers.

MAYOR RUTTER of Lawrence will now have an opportunity to give Mr. Collins a place on the license commission in defiance of the aldermen. The latter may confirm Collins in order to avert such a result of their obstinacy.

THE NEW BEDFORD Mercury talks of the tax on the net income of savings banks as if it were a 2 per cent. tax on deposits. While the deposits of a bank may be millions, the earnings may not be much, may not be anything and a tax upon this something or this nothing is what is so loudly complained of.

IT DOES seem rather strange that Boston with a fire department supposed to be the best in New England suffers so much from fire. There is undoubtedly some secret cause which should, if possible, be revealed. Possibly a little overhauling would be of use. To discharge all the principal officers, however, would probably be a plan of improvement that would not be attended with the desired result.

AN INTERESTING trial has been concluded in the Superior court, Boston, resulting in a verdict for the plaintiff. The Old Colony railroad sued to recover a fifteen cent fare from a passenger who refused to pay because he was not provided with a seat. The court rules that transportation alone entitles the company to the fare. The passenger could have left the train on finding no vacant seat but remained standing.

THE SPEECHES made at the convention of the Irish National Federation in Boston on Wednesday were the most convincing that have been heard in this state for years on the justice of the cause, the need of harmony and the wisdom of maintaining majority rule. The leading spirits of the movement in Boston are T. B. Fitzpatrick, Dominick Toy and Daniel P. Sullivan. They never stop working and are known throughout the state as indefatigable champions of the Irish cause.

THE OUTLOOK BRIGHTENING

The democrats in the U. S. senate are now united on the tariff bill and it is bound to pass despite the opposition of republicans. The senate bill makes the tariff lighter upon the necessaries of life and heavier upon luxuries. The removal of the tax from wool will probably aid the woolen industry. There is a sufficiently high tax upon articles of woolen clothing. If free cotton has helped cotton mills there is no reason why free wool will not also aid the woolen mills. The senate bill will probably be adopted with some slight changes by the house. The trouble will then be settled, business activity will reappear and the depression will be a thing of the past before the end of summer. There are certain republican papers in this city and elsewhere which delight in predicting prolonged business depression and all kinds of disaster as a result of the delays of congress in settling the tariff question. They do not acknowledge that the republicans in congress have been carrying out a policy of obstruction and causing all the delay possible. But in spite of republican opposition times will improve, business will start up in all lines of industry and the predictions of the calamity howlers will be falsified. Here is what Senator Gorman says of the present outlook:

"After 20 years of political progress, of positive growth, of constant development and of universal enlightenment the democratic party and the American people are within sight of the promised land. Emancipation is at hand—emancipation from partisan oppression, from the greed of classes, from extortion, from wilful extravagance, from financial fantasy, from spoils, from restrictions upon individual liberty, from jingoism, from all those evils in brief which the democratic party inherited as a legacy from three decades of republican mal-administration."

Senator Gorman is in a position to know whereof he speaks, and he is thus sanguine of success.

It is just as well, therefore, for the pessimists to stop croaking and turn their faces to the returning light of prosperity peering from behind the gloomy clouds that hovered over the country for the past year. Troubles there are to be sure, but they will disappear with the putting into force of the new tariff law, and some of the worst evils of McKinleyism will be wiped out.

Soon the policy of the democratic party will be vindicated, despite the opponents of the administration.

A LAW has recently been passed in New York with the following provision.

Any person who wilfully states, delivers or transmits by any means whatever to any manager, editor, publisher, reporter or other employe of a publisher of any newspaper, magazine, publication, periodical or serial any statement concerning any person or corporation which, if published, would be a libel, is guilty of a misdemeanor."

At present in this state many persons think it is "smart" to impose a false story on a newspaper. Such a law would make them cautious. It does not, however, relieve the paper of any responsibility.

CHUGWATER'S EXPLANATION.

It Made Him Very Uneasy, and He Started For That Money.

"Josiah," inquired Mrs. Chugwater as she poured the coffee, "what does it mean when the papers talk about the financial situation being strained and the money market unsettled, and all that sort of thing?"

"It means that there is an uneasy feeling about securities," answered Mr. Chugwater, reaching for another biscuit.

"What does that mean?"

"Why, stocks and bonds, and—um—speculative values generally."

"What makes them have an uneasy feeling?"

"It's the operators, you understand, the financiers, that have that. When there comes a stringency in the money market"—

"In the money market? Do they sell money?"

"They sell securities, which is about the same thing, only they fluctuate in value. The condition of the stock and bond market is an index of the financial situation generally."

"I don't seem to understand it any better than I did before," said Mrs Chugwater dubiously. "What is it that makes money scarce sometimes? Does the government quit making it?"

"No. It's simply withheld from investment in ordinary speculative channels. It's withdrawn from circulation and hoarded up. Can you understand that?"

"Y-yes, I suppose so. What does anybody want to withdraw it from circulation for, Josiah?"

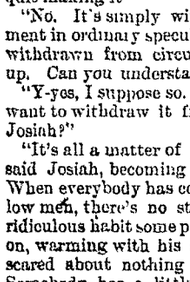
"It's all a matter of public confidence," said Josiah, becoming slightly impatient. When everybody has confidence in his fellow men, there's no stringency. It's this ridiculous habit some people have," he went on, warming with his subject, "of getting scared about nothing that makes panics. Somebody has a little money in a bank. He begins to be afraid the bank isn't all right, and he goes down town to take it out. He tells some friend on the way down what he's going to do, and that friend tells somebody else and it spreads, and the first thing you know there's a run on a perfectly sound bank, and all because some gourd head has lost confidence. And that reminds me," said Mr. Chugwater, checking himself hurriedly and looking at his watch, "that I've got about $600 in old Gambling's bank that isn't any too safe. I'm going right down town now as quick as I can get there to draw every cent of it out!"

And with nervous haste Mr. Chugwater put on his hat and overcoat, shot out through the front door, and half an hour later was walking crazily back and forth on the sidewalk in front of old Gumbling's bank waiting for the doors to open.—Chicago Tribune.

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AN EXCEPTION.

A Story to Prove That It Doesn't Always Work That Way.

"A queer thing happened to me in your town of Detroit once," said a Buffalo man to a Detroiter the other day.

"Arrested on suspicion?"

"Hardly that. No; it's no joke. Some one stole my overcoat from a barber shop, and I went to a secondhand store to get something cheap to wear home. Didn't want to leave more money in your town than I was obliged to, you know."

"I follow."

"Well, I found something that suited me for $5. I thought the price a little high even at $5, but while handling the coat I felt in the right hand pocket and found a wallet."

"Of course. Our secondhand men know that trick before Buffalo was founded."

"Yes, I felt a wallet and planked down a 'V' and walked off with the coat The man wanted to send it to me, but you bet I didn't let him get his paws on the garment again. I couldn't hardly wait to get over to the hotel to examine the wallet."

"Yes, I know. It always works that way."

"Say, boy, how much do you suppose that wallet panned out?"

"Not a continental copper. The dealer had a barrelful of old wallets to slip into pockets as he came across green horns from Buffalo."

"Well, yes, but if I didn't take $160 out of that wallet I'm a sinner! More than that, the clerk of the hotel saw me do it, and I set up the cigars for 20 men. I hope never to breathe again if I'm not speaking the truth."

"How long ago was that?"

"About 15 years."

"And you still have the wallet?"

"I have There it is, and there's the affidavit I made before a notary as soon as I reached Buffalo."

"Well?"

"Well?"

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Spreading Disease.

Various are the ways of spreading disease Some workmen tore down an old house in New Haven. Soon an epidemic of diphtheria broke out among their families and friends They had carried the wood home for fire, and thus were spread germs of the disease which had raged in the house the year before An old feather bed was thrown into an open lot. Children played with it, and three out of five died of scarlet fever, and the disease was almost epidemic in the community for a time. Through ignorance or carelessness that bed had not been properly managed, or it would never have been allowed to leave the disease stricken house except in ashes.—New York Times.

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ENGLAND'S MOTHERLY AFFECTION FOR UNITED STATES.

Speeches by Prominent Men of Both Nations.

LONDON, May 25.—The banquet tendered to Admiral Erben, Captain Mahan and the officers of the United States cruiser Chicago by officers of the English navy and army and distinguished citizens of Great Britain was held last night in St. James' hall and was a brilliant success.

The principal table was placed upon a platform underneath the organ loft, from which hung immense English and American flags. Entwined Union Jacks and Stars and Stripes were placed in many parts of the hall. A broad band inscribed: "Blood is thicker than water," was suspended from the gallery, opposite the organ loft.

Four tables, extending the whole length of the hall at right angles to the principal tables, accommodated the other guests, numbering 300. These included the other officers of the Chicago and the leading lights of the nation.

A Work of Art.

Before each guest there was a beautiful menu card or brochure.

This consisted of sixteen pages. The frontispiece was a monochrome engraving of the cruiser Chicago, between the Union Jack and the Stars and Stripes, and was inscribed, "A hearty welcome to the Chicago." The second page contained portraits of Admiral Erben and Captain Mahan, and was surmounted with a device representing clasped hands between intertwined flags, with the scroll, "Blood is thicker than water," and the couplet:

When love unites wide space divides in vain,
And hands may clasp across the spreading main.

Other pages contained pictures of Westminster Abbey, Trafalgar square, Greenwich hospital and the disaster to the Trenton and the Calliope at Apia.

When the ladies entered the gallery in evening costume, the brilliancy of the scene was greatly enhanced.

The Speeches.

Lord Hamilton, the chairman, began the speechmaking by offering a toast to the queen and President Cleveland. He said that Queen Victoria and President Cleveland were the heads of the two great English-speaking nationalities of the world, the heads of governments whose authority was exercised over a large portion of the globe.

But it was not merely on that account that he asked them to drink to their health. He gave the toast with the hope that the rare qualities of these two persons might long continue to influence and sway the national policy of the two great countries of which they were the heads.

After giving the usual loyal toasts to the Prince of Wales and his family, and to the royal family generally, Lord Hamilton toasted the United States, saying Englishmen are proud of the progress that the United States has made in the present century, because they believed that the progress was largely due to the racial qualities which those who originally came from Great Britian transmitted to America.

Times Have Changed.

One hundred and ten years ago we parted in anger, after bloodshed; now we have met together as reconciled members of one family. The historic town of Boston yesterday received the British admiral and the officers of his flagship magnificently. He was afraid that the citizens of that great town were engaged 110 years ago in a less congenial operation.

Today it was our privilege to entertain a distinguished American admiral and the officers of his flagship (here there was a great outburst of cheering). One hundred and ten years ago the citizens of London were engaged in a less satisfactory operation of taxing themselves in order to punish the citizens of Boston.

The speaker saw opposite to him the historic words: "Blood is thicker than water." Nobody who had the privilege of being on the other side of the water could come to any other conclusion than that the sentiment was true, because there were between Englishmen and the great mass of the American community an origin and identity of language and similarity of ideas and pursuits which existed between no other two nations on the face of the earth. These great principles would not fail to bind the two nations in bonds of permanent unity. All then rose and drank to the toast amid tremendous applause.

Bayard's Speech.

Ambassador Bayard rose to reply, and was received with prolonged cheering. He said he felt deeply the honor of having been made the envoy to this country and this nation. The gracious reception that he had been given on numerous occasions in this great city and elsewhere in Great Britain made him feel the sincerity and reality of the welcome so expressed. In the name of his country and his countrymen he sincerely thanked them for the banquet.

It was a happy omen that it came upon the birthday of that benign and gracious lady whose devotion to public duty was clear and beautiful. Well might the British subject congratulate himself that he contemplated with affectionate admiration the home life of the true mother of her country, whose domestic virtues so illustrated her long and happy reign. Turning his eyes across the Atlantic, well might the American, of whatever party or race, congratulate himself that the virtues of innocent and guileless childhood, of life, integrity, manhood and womanhood, were clustered around the hearthstone of the President of the United States.

No other tongue spoken now by man contained that word "Home" more than the mother tongue of them all, and it was from home and through home that associations and impressions were formed that made the nation and the people and wrote their true history. He did not feel that this was an ordinary occasion of festivity. Hospitalities and courtesies came as thick and sweet as the blossoms in May, and mutual services were paid in time of need and sympathy and sorrow.

These, thank God, were exchanged abundantly between the two great branches of the English-speaking people. It was men who went down in deep ships who knew best the sympathies that bound the hearts of the sailors of the two nations. The sea that once divided mankind was now found to be its main means of intercourse.

Praise For America's Navy.

In times past, from no quarter had greater assistance been found than in the naval service of either country, and for the present he would speak of that country which it was his privilege and honor to represent.

If he had read the record of history aright, no man had written clearer and more valuable lessons for the relations of mankind in the use and knowledge of the sea than the officers of the American navy. It was an excellent thing to have a sea power, but it was tyrannous to use that power. Therefore, let the laws of equal force and the laws of morals proceed, and whoever should best exercise sea power in this world let him or them remember that power to be safe must ever be in the harness of the law.

The Other Speakers.

Admiral Hornby then toasted the United States navy. He said that the presence of the American admiral's flag as high up as Gravesend was unprecedented, but they all hoped that it would appear there again.

Admiral Erben, responding to Admiral Hornby's toast, said that never before was such a compliment paid to the American navy. He thanked those present, not only in behalf of the officers and men of the Chicago, but of every man in the American navy.

Lord Roberts then proposed a toast to Captain Mahan and the officers of the Chicago. He said they welcomed the American officers as brothers as well as distinguished guests, and alluded to their community of origin, sentiment and language.

Captain Mahan responded briefly. In conclusion, he toasted the British navy and coupled with it the sentiment that its future career might be as beneficent as its past had been glorious.

Admiral Commerell briefly responded to Captain Mahan's toast, and the proceedings closed with the band playing the "Star Spangled Banner."

A fantasia of American airs was played between the speeches.

When Mr. Bayard rose to speak the organ and band played "Hail, Columbia." Mr. Bayard was unable to speak for some minutes, owing to the tumultuous applause with which he was greeted. Every word of the speech, which was impressively uttered, was listened to with close attention.

A FIGHT WITH DEPUTIES.

Four Strikers Are Dead and an Unknown Number Injured.

UNIONTOWN, Pa., May 25.—The long threatened attack by striking miners on the pits of the Washington Coal and Coke company at Stickle Hollow in the Fourth pool district on the Monongahela river was made yesterday, involving another of the grim tragedies that characterize the irrepressible conflict. The fight was one of the fiercest in the history of the mining troubles in western Pennsylvania. Four strikers are dead and double that number are badly wounded, some of them mortally.

Thomas Kenan is the only American killed in the encounter with the deputies. The other dead men are Slavs. The wounded men who fell under the first volley from the deputies were taken off the field by the retreating strikers, and even now the actual number of wounded is not definitely known. It is, perhaps, too soon to attempt to apportion the responsibility for the killing, as many confused and contradictory statements are made.

The strikers furnished all the dead men; not a deputy was fatally hurt and only three of them wounded. The fight occurred in the public roadway leading to the Stickle Hollow plant. Two thousand strikers came out there to intercept the men on their way to work. Some carried Winchesters, while others were armed with shotguns, muzzle-loading rifles and revolvers.

Because of their threatening demonstrations and the fact that they had given notice to the company that they had come to drive off the deputies if necessary, there were ball cartridges in the Winchesters carried by the guards, and the entire outfit at the works was in general readiness to receive raiders. The deputies had specific orders, and it is admitted that the company ordered them to shoot to kill.

UNSYMPATHETIC AUDIENCE

Listened to Professor Smith In His Address to the Presbyterians.

SARATOGA, May 25.—The flirtation between the northern and southern Presbyterian churches has come to an abrupt close. The offer of organic union has been rejected by the southern body and each will now continue to pursue its separate way.

The Smith trial has begun in the general assembly, and will probably continue until tomorrow noon. The argument of Professor Smith was a great one, but, although pathetic, was addressed to an audience not at all sympathetic. The committee of prosecution occupied the afternoon and evening, arguing at great length and with great earnestness, but the audience was weary and the air bad. The moderator got tired and retired to the basement of the church for rest.

The report made touching the supposed death of Dr. George P. Hays was found to be a mistake. The telegram referred to the death of Dr. Isaac N. Hays of Pittsburg and was signed by Dr. George P. Hays himself.

Whittemore For Governor.

RUTLAND, Vt., May 25.—The Prohibitionists held their convention at Middlebury and nominated the following state ticket: For governor, Rodney C. Whittemore, St. Albans; lieutenant governor, Dr. L. W. Hanson, Barre; treasurer, John F. Leonard, Burlington; secretary of state, Henry R. Mack, Hardwick; auditor, Frank W. Wheeler, Richford; state committee, F. H. Shepard, Fairhaven, chairman; C. W. Wyman, St. Albans; George L. Story, Bakersfield; A. O. Ferguson, Burlington; W. H. Sargent, Royalton. Radical resolutions were adopted.

That Ocean Race.

LONDON, May 25.—The owners of the White Star line declare that their instructions against racing are most explicit. They add that there is no doubt that the captain of the Majestic did his best to avoid racing. The Liverpool manager of the American line said that he had telegraphed to Captain Randle of the Paris for the facts in regard to the reported racing across the Atlantic. Captain Randle replied that he had never deviated one degree from his course.

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SENATE

Is Still Engaged in Partisan Strife.

SENATOR GORMAN CRITICISED BY HALE.

The House Fight on the Civil Service.

WASHINGTON, May 25.—The senate proceedings were enlivened by a short debate on Hawaii and a very sarcastic speech from Mr. Hale on Mr. Gorman's speech.

The Maryland senator, Mr. Hale said, had spoken none too soon. The Macedonian cry had gone up, like the wail of a lost soul, from the Democracy of the country for some one to appear as a leader in the senate.

He read from Democratic papers arraignments of the majority of the senate for the "surrender" of principle contained in the "Gorman-Brice bill." The senator from Maryland, Mr. Hale proceeded, had come forward with the effort of his life to re-form the broken Democratic ranks.

The speech made by the Maryland senator, added Mr. Hale, was made not to the country, but to his Democratic colleagues. Mr. Hale continued with vivid words and vitriolic comment to divide the Democratic side of the chamber into "groups," to which he said Mr. Gorman had addressed his remarks.

The "Groups" Described.

The first group, he said, comprised the two senators from New York, Messrs. Hill and Murphy, Mr. Smith (N. J.) and Messrs. Kyle and Roach. They represented constituencies opposed to this bill.

The second group—a large one—despised the bill before the senate, because it gave the lie to the convictions and professions of a lifetime. It contained Messrs. Mills and Coke (Tex.), Vest and Cockrell (Mo.), Vilas (Wis.), Gray (Del.), Palmer (Ills.), Lindsay and Blackburn (Ky.), Harris and Bate (Tenn.) and perhaps one or two others.

They were the men who when they were obliged to vote for protection to coal and iron ore, to the Sugar trust and Lead trust, would ask themselves: "Is thy servant a dog that he should do this?" Then they would all vote for these provisions and answer their own questions.

There was another group to which no appeal from the senator was necessary. It included Messrs. Camden and Faulkner (W. Va.), Morgan and Pugh (Ala.), Caffery and Blanchard (La.), Brice (O.), Gibson (Md.), and the great compromiser himself, Mr. Gorman, had given no anxiety to this group.

Why? Because they had secured all they wanted. It extended to the confines of the earth, but he repeated that they had got all they wanted.

Mr. Hale continued to point out in detail specifically what he termed the "price" paid for votes in the latter group, calling attention to speeches made by these senators in the past.

The bill as it now stood, Mr. Hale said, had no responsible parents. It was a political bastard. It was the result of the intercourse of those who had abandoned party principle with the easy virtue of a few protected industries and the habitual prostitutes of the trusts.

It was after 3 o'clock when the senate got down to actual work on the schedules. Very fair progress was made, eight pages (from paragraph 121 to 143 inclusive) being disposed of.

The surprise of the day was the acceptance by the finance committee of an amendment offered by Mr. Allen, the Nebraska Populist, to place barbed wire on the free list. Several Republicans opposed it, but did not carry their opposition to the extent of demanding a record-making vote upon it. An intimation from Mr. Hoar that free barbed wire was to be the price of Mr. Allen's vote for the tariff bill was indignantly denied.

A Week's Fight Ended.

After being under consideration for just one week, the legislative, executive and judicial appropriation bill was passed by the house.

The main fight was in the house after the bill had been reported back from the committee of the whole on the amendment declaring the laws authorizing the docking of members' salaries for absence repealed, and on the amendment refusing to provide for the civil service commission. Separate yea and nay votes were demanded on these amendments, when the first was lost by a vote of 104 to 128, and the latter by 80 to 158.

A yea and nay vote was taken on the amendment offered by Mr. Enloe striking out the appropriation for the salaries of the civil service commissioners and clerks, which the committee of the whole adopted by a decisive vote. It resulted: Yeas, 80; nays, 158. So the amendment was lost.

Another amendment proposed by Mr. Caruth and agreed to in the committee of the whole, which was designed to still further emasculate the civil service commission, was defeated in the house without division, as was also the amendment to equalize the salaries of the assistant doorkeepers of the house.

The only amendments adopted yesterday in the committee of the whole and agreed to by the house were to increase the appropriation for publishing the postal guide from $15,000 to $30,000, and an additional item of $2500 for clerical service for the Dockery commission.

Mr. Terry secured the adoption of an amendment providing that each circuit court of appeals should be entitled to have expended for its use at least one-half of such surplus as they had accrued.

Mobbed the Police.

BERLIN, May 25.—The people of Kassel have been excited by reports concerning the ill treatment of police prisoners. Yesterday afternoon 300 persons mobbed a small force of police in Market square and sang the Marseillaise. The Hussars were called out and restored order. Many persons were injured.

On a Three Months' Cruise.

NEW BEDFORD, Mass., May 25.—Revenue cutter S. P. Chase sailed yesterday on a three months' voyage. She has a crew of 25 men and 12 cadets. She will make port at Corunna, Spain, St. Michael and Gardiner's Bay.

Standing of Maine Banks.

WASHINGTON, May 25.—Reports from 83 banks of Maine show loans and discounts amounting to $20,709,077; lawful money reserve, $1,416,694; individual deposits, $13,087,873. Average reserve, 34.44 per cent.

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FOR WOMAN'S RIGHTS.

MISS ANTHONY'S PLEA FOR WOMAN SUFFRAGE.

The Home Vote Would be Doubled and Moral Influence Far Reaching.

ALBANY, May 25.—Because of Miss Susan B. Anthony's inability to remain in Albany later than yesterday, the committee on suffrage of the constitutional convention gave a hearing to her yesterday afternoon. The scene presented was a curious one, for more than two-thirds of the audience were composed of noted lawyers of the state, while the other third were women anxious to have the word "male" stricken from the constitution.

Mrs. Greenleaf of Rochester was the first speaker, and she briefly outlined the condition of women at the time the present constitution was adopted and at the present time. She said that the voice of the governed should be heard in the government. Laws had been made for women, and women were now governed almost the same as men.

She then introduced Miss Anthony, who was received with loud applause. She went to the root of the question at once. She detailed the workings of woman suffrage in other states and countries. In England, spinsters and widows could vote if they were property holders. In Kansas women were given the right to vote on all school questions, and the results had been very good. Women were now doing the same work as men, in the same manner, but for half the pay.

Will Help Poor Women.

Enfranchise the women and the results will be different. The work for equal suffrage was not being done to help the wife of the millionaire, but to help the poor working woman, and put them on the same plane as the man of equal ability. Kansas had also granted women suffrage on municipal matters, and these, too, had brought good results. The governments were better, and that, too, was the case in the state of Wyoming, where women had been granted the right of suffrage for 25 years. The governors of that state were all in favor of retaining that feature, and the people there were hearty in their praise of it.

She said that Colorado was the first state in the Union where a majority of the men had gone to the polls and had there voted to give the women equal suffrage. As to the question of the removal of property qualifications of women in this state, she said it was the vote of the poor man that removed it years ago. If the women were allowed to vote now they would remove the word "male."

Another reason why they should strike it out was that of moral influence. Women were the controlling influences in the school, in the church and the charitable institutions. Men controlled the saloons, the gambling houses, the race tracks. "Put these in the balance opposite each other," said she, raising her hand, "and you will see that the material interest of the world will kick the beam. That's our side. That's why we should vote."

The question has been raised about the ignorant vote. There are fewer uneducated women than there are men. The prisons of the United States contain 55,000 men and 5000 women. There are fewer women without homes than men, and the floating vote would not be doubled by granting suffrage, but the home vote would be doubled and the floating vote minimized.

Not a New Hand.

"Does anybody want to ask me any questions? You need not be afraid. I have been on the stump for 40 years. If we could vote, you would not be afraid to argue."

Turning to the venerable Thomas Alvord, who sat on the committee, Miss Anthony said: "Mr. Alvord was an enemy of ours 27 years ago. Does he want to give a reason for it now?"

Amid laughter and applause, Mr. Alvord rose and said: "I would say to Miss Anthony that I sit here as a judge. The jury surrounds us, and when all is finished they will give to the women their rights."

In closing, Miss Anthony called attention to the fact that only unpardoned criminals, idots, lunatics, Chinamen and women were forbidden the right of franchise, thus classing women with a degraded class.

Indiana Populists' Ticket.

INDIANAPOLIS, May 25.—The Populists nominated the following ticket: Secretary of state, C. A. Robinson of Fountaintown, Shelby county; auditor, Edgar A. Perkins of Indianapolis; treasurer, A. B. Keepert of Logansport; attorney general, Silas M. Holcomb of Tipton.

The Susquehanna Again Rising.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., May 25.—The rainstorm which set in yesterday is still raging and the Susquehanna river is again rising rapidly. People living on the lowlands on the west side of the river are making preparations to vacate their homes.

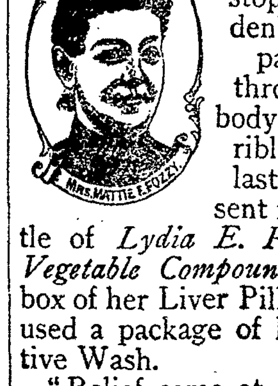
A Coming Society Event.

NEW YORK, May 25.—Cards are out for the wedding of Miss Ellen Windom, daughter of the late secretary of the treasury, and Bentley W. Warren of Boston. Harry Garfield, son of the late President Garfield, will be the best man.

Women, Isn't This Worth Believing?

Such cases as this of Mrs. M. F. Fozzy, of Campello, Mass., speak volumes.

She says: "I was very sick. I did not ever expect to get up again. Menstruations had stopped suddenly. The pains all through my body were terrible. As a last resort I sent for a bottle of *Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound* and a box of her Liver Pills. I also used a package of her Sanative Wash.



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Admiral Hopkins' Courtesy.

BOSTON, May 25.—Vice Admiral Hopkins gave an informal banquet to Governor Greenhalge last night on board H. M. S. Blake. The colors of Great Britain and the United States were festooned side by side at the head of the table. A portrait of the queen also adorned the saloon where the feast was spread. Tonight the commonwealth will entertain the Britishers with a banquet.

Hatch Still Missing.

LACONIA, N. H., May 25.—The whereabouts of the missing young business man, Herbert C. Hatch, is still a mystery to his almost heart-broken wife and his numerous creditors. It has been ascertained that he did not visit Boston after he left this city last Saturday, and it is believed that he changed cars at Nashua Junction for New York.

One Boy Was Lucky.

BOSTON, May 25.—Will Norman Morrison, aged 8, and John Cotter, aged 9, were playing on the railroad bridge of the New York and New England road and were struck by a train and knocked overboard. Cotter was fatally injured, while Morrison received only a scratch.

Peytral May Try It.

PARIS, May 25.—M. Peytral had a conference with President Carnot yesterday, and at its expiration informed the president that he thought the task of forming a cabinet was beyond his power. But, he added, he would confer with his colleagues and would give his answer later.

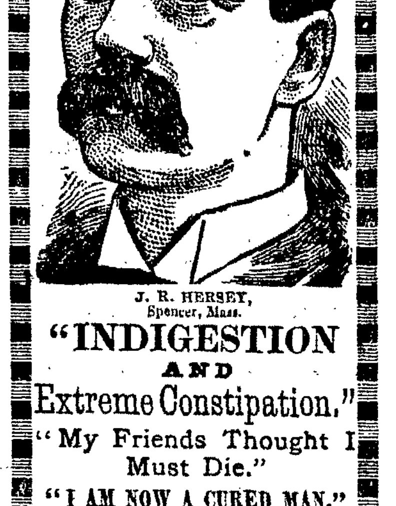
Germany's Invitation.

LONDON, May 25.—The British government has received a proposal from Germany to hold a conference on the Samoan question. Great Britain will probably accept.

Trustees Will Rebuild.

LACONIA, N. H., May 25.—The trustees of Gilmanton academy have voted to erect a building in the place of the one burned last Sunday.

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For Newburyport, 12.15, 2.40, 3.25, 6.15 p. m.

For Exeter, and Dover, 8.30 a. m.; 12.15, 3.25, 5.10, p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.35 p. m

For Rochester and Alton Bay, 8.30 a. m.; 12.15, 3.25 p. m.

For Somersworth, N.H., Salmon Falls Saco and Portland 8.30 a.m.; 12.15, 3.25, 5.10, p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.35.

For Augusta, Bath, Lewiston, 8.30 a. m.; 12.15, 3.25, 5.00 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.35 p. m.

For Bangor; Belfast, Waterville, Skowhegan, Rockland, 8.30 a. m., 12.15, 5.10 p.m. SUNDAYS, 5.35 p. m.

For St. John N. B., Montreal, Quebec, 8.30 a. m., 5.10 p. m. (5.10 does not run Saturdays); SUNDAY, 5.35 p. m.

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Trains leave Merrimack Street Depot, Lowell,

For Boston—5 45, 6 30, ¶6 50, *7 45, *8 50, ¶9 25, *9 50, 11 00 a. m.; *12 10, 1 35, 2.10, ¶3.00, 4.30, ¶5 40 p. m. SUNDAYS, ¶7 45, 8 45, *9 15 a. m.

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For Salem and Way Stations—§7.38 a. m.; 1.25, 5.50 p. m. Via South Lawrence 6.30 a. m.

☞Time below is from Northern depot.

For Ayer Junction and Way Stations—7.15 a. m.; 12.00, 5.10 and 5.49 p. m. SUNDAYS 2.15 p. m.

For Amherst, Milford and Wilton—9.14 a. m.; 12.57, 3.43, 5.42 p. m. SUNDAYS 2 p. m.

For Greenfield, Peterboro', Bennington, Hillsboro' and Keene—9.14 a. m. and 3.43 p. m.

For Nashua, Manchester and Concord 7.43, 9.14, 9.45, 12.11 a.m.; 12.57, 1.47, 3.43, (5.04 Nashua only), 5.42, 6.22, 8.13, 8.43 p.m. SUNDAYS 10.09, a. m. to Nashua only), 2.00, 6.00 8.13, 8.43 p. m.

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For Warner, Bradford, Sunapee, Newport, (N. H.), Claremont and Claremont Junction—9.45 a.m.; 1.47 p. m.

For St. Johnsbury and Lyndonville via Wells River—9.45 a.m.; 1.47 and †8.43.

For Montpelier, Montreal, Essex Junction, Burlington and St. Albans, via Central Vermont line—9.45 a. m.; 12.11, †8.13 p. m.

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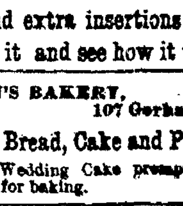
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SUN WEATHER BULLETIN.

ALMANAC FOR FRIDAY, MAY 25

SUN RISES ..... 4 14 | MOON RISES..12 61 AM
SUN SETS..... 7 09 | " " 2 45 AM
LENGTH OF DAY. 14 55 | FULL SEA " .. 3 30 PM

Forecast for Maine: Showers; increasing northeast winds

For New Hampshire and Vermont: Showers, north winds.

For Massachusetts: Showers, high northeast winds

For Rhode Island and Connecticut. Showers, winds shifting to west.

Fooling the People.

You can fool some of the people all the time; you can fool all the people some of the time, but you can't fool all the people all the time by getting out a second-hand newspaper. Compare THE SUN with other local papers.

LOCAL NEWS.

Smoke Tower's Corner Cigar.

Sunday will be Memorial Sunday.

James R. Green and wife of Lowell were registered at the Crawford house, Boston, yesterday.

There will be an athletic meeting and bicycle racing at the First street oval on Saturday, June 9th.

The Odd Ladies met last evening and made arrangements for holding a strawberry festival at an early date.

Washington Commandery, Golden Cross, admitted one new member, last evening, and arranged for a festival to be held June 14.

The trustees of the Edson cemetery, last evening discussed the seizure of the Donovan and Gannon land for cemetery purposes.

Mr. F H. Butler of this city attended the banquet of the graduating class of the College of Pharmacy in Boston last evening.

There will be a special meeting of the Emerald associates this (Friday) evening at 7.30 to take action on the death of Bro. David Murphy.

The band concert by Post 42 under the auspices of the merchants in the vicinity of city hall, which was postponed last week will be given this evening, weather permitting, on city hall lot opposite the Merrimack Clothing Co.'s store

Wamesit lodge, M. U. O. F., held a ball in Manchester Unity hall last evening, and an enjoyable evening was passed The officers were: Floor director, W. Walsh, N. G., aids, Joseph Bottomley, Robert Gourley, J. McDougal, W. Blake and W Mack.

The marriage of Mr. Alton B. Bryant and Miss Helen C. Hanchett occurred yesterday afternoon at the parsonage of the First Congregational church, Billerica. The ceremony was performed by Rev D W. Hardy. The happy couple will reside in Dracut.

The anniversary of Bay State colony, Pilgrim Father was observed by a supper and a dance at Bay State hall, last evening Owing to the stormy weather, the attendance was not as large as was expected Supper was served in the banquet hall, and there was dancing afterwards.

President L. W. Weeks of the Cigarmaker's union will start next week on a trip through eastern Massachusetts, New Hampshire and Maine, and will deliver addresses in the different cities of these states on the practical advantages to be gained by encouraging and demanding the blue label on all cigars.

Eight teams are entered in the duck pin bowling tournament at the Lowell Reform club The game attracts a large number of the members each evening. The contests are very exciting, and the greatest enthusiasm prevails The record so far, for this week, is held by Williams, who scored 145 pins.

A year book is to be published at the First Congregational church, by the pastor, similar to those issued by other churches. In the book will be the names of members, and a directory of church attendants. It will also give interesting facts about the church and its departments. The year book will be for distribution among the members.

Ladies' Suits and Garments

George F. Stiles, deputy sheriff and messenger, will sell by private sale, by order of the court of insolvency, all the stock in the store occupied by the Beaver Cloak company, in Hildreth building, consisting of ladies' cloaks, capes, suits, &c., at less than cost. Sale opens today.

Among the Bicyclists.

Bloomers on women cyclists may be seen any fine day in the vicinity of Franklin park, Boston. The garb has not yet blossomed in Lowell.

Lanterns are beginning to appear after dark. The riders are simply preparing for the new law and its enforcement.

William F. Courtney has not yet mastered the "bike" but his partner D J Donohoe is ready to try a run to Boston.

The Governor's Reception.

The American orchestra, E. J Borjes, director, will render the following program at the reception to Gov Greenhalge in Huntington hall, next Monday evening:

"The Star Spangled Banner" — Key
March, 'Gov Greenhalge" — A Mirault
Composed and respectfully dedicated to His Excellency, Gov Greenhalge.
Overture, "Der Freischutz" — Von Weber
{a—"Marzanillo," Danza Mexicana . Robyn
{b—" La Troika " Russian dance . Braham
Cornet solo, "War Memories' . . Levy
R McDaniel
Selection from De Koven's comic opera, "The Fencing Master" — Arr. Wiegand
Xylophone solo, 'Southern Melodies . Stobbe
H Dufresne
Finale, 'Before the Footlights' . .... Bendix

Under a Foreign Name

A delightful "Kaffer Katsch" or in English, coffee party, was held in the Eliot church last evening under the auspices of the Young People's society of the Christian Endeavor. The party was largely attended considering the condition of the weather. The church vestry was prettily decorated with evergreens, and the tables were neatly arranged about the room The Lyceum orchestra discoursed sweet strains during the evening. An entertainment consisting of readings by Miss Bessie Adams and solos by Mr Fred Lee and Mrs Burns was enjoyed. The kitchen was in charge of Miss Mary Miller and Miss Sadie Stanton had general charge of the supper.

Another Driven Well Plant

A meeting of the water board was held last evening, for the purpose of opening bids for 500 tons of coal, but owing to the unsettled condition of the coal market the opening was deferred.

The question of the driven well supply was talked over, and Mr. Fels spoke of the uneasiness that is manifested by the people of Centralville, because they are not receiving pure water, and he advised driving a few test wells in the vicinity of Lakeview avenue, near the Dracut line.

Mr. Cook, who was consulted, believed that a good supply could be found there. Enough wells will be sunk to test the matter thoroughly, and if the conditions are promising, it is not impossible that we may have two driven well plants in operation before the snow flies.

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Next time try Old Hundred

T. C. Lee, Fire Insurance, Donovan Bl'dg.

Wall paper at 18 Church street.

People who were thinking of the beach and mountains a month ago are changing their minds.

E B. Carlton is confined to his home on Belmont street from injuries received by a fall down stairs.

Patten & Co. have the finest potted plants and cut flowers in the city. Shedd's block Central street.

The contract for grading and curbing city hall lot has been signed and work will be commenced at once.

Several members of the Knights of Columbus attended a big meeting of the order in Lynn last night.

Call at J. J. Gaynor & Co's, 35 Prescott street, and get prices on refrigerators and ice chests Low prices this week.

The voters of Ward Six are to meet tonight at the ward room on High street to take action on the death of Councilman Benson

The Merrimack Woolen mills, by Agent Fels, is in receipt of an official copy of the award of the World's Fair for the display of shawls

A true, life like photo is something everybody admires. Marion makes that kind Visit his studio in Bannister's hall and have a setting made.

Miss Leila McIntyre, who sang at Miss Noyes' recital Wednesday evening, has presented to many of the young people who recently participated in the Cadets' kirmess photographs of herself as remembrances

The "great military men" of the high school battalion will have a busy week beginning Sunday, when they march to the memorial services in Huntington hall; drill on Monday, go to Reading on Tuesday; march in the parade on Wednesday.

A prominent out-of-town lawyer who was waiting in the Northern depot, Wednesday, for a Boston train, after attending court, remarked to a SUN man that "the new depot would make a good ornament for a country village. Why don't they have a few more rooms scattered around?"

High School Drill Postponed

Owing to the threatening weather the drill of the High school battalion which was to have occurred at the Dracut oval, this afternoon has been postponed until Monday.

Concert for the People

Prof. A Mirault has volunteered to give a concert by his band of 20 pieces to the people of Lowell on the South common next Sunday evening from 7.30 to 9 when the following program will be rendered.

Gov Greenhalge's march	A Mirault
Columbia Gavotte	L Frederic
Grand American Fantasia	
Cornet solo	N Demarais O. Casey
Poet and Peasant, overture	Von Suppe
Love's Golden Dream, waltz	T Bonheur
Bridal Rose, overture	C Lavallee
Rosy Cheeks, schottische	L. P. Laurendeau
Adeste Fideles, hymn	Arr C Beyer
Boston Commandery, march	F M Carter

MERRITT RELEASED.

The Boston Club Was Carrying Too Many Catchers, It is Said.

BOSTON, May 25—Catcher Billy Merritt was yesterday released by the Boston club President Soden said that the club was carrying too many catchers, and decided to release Merritt because he was dissatisfied The game with the Washingtons scheduled for yesterday was postponed because of the rain.

At Cleveland

Pittsburg	1	0	0	0	1	0	2	2	—6
Cleveland .	4	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0—5

Base hits—Pittsburg, 9. Cleveland, 8. Errors—Pittsburg, 4. Cleveland, 1 Batteries—Killen, Chief and Mack, Young and O'Connor

At Chicago

Chicago .	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0—3
St Louis	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0—1

Base hits—Chicago, 7, St. Louis, 8. Errors—Chicago, 6, St. Louis, 1. Batteries—Hutchison and Kittredge, Breitenstein and Peitz.

At Louisville

Louisville .	0	0	0	4	0	2	0	0	0—6
Cincinnati .	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—0

Base hits—Louisville, 10, Cincinnati, 6 Errors—Louisville, 1, Cincinnati 2 Batteries—Menefee and Grim, Parrott and Vaughn.

At Bangor—Worcester, 8, Bangor, 7

At Lewiston—Lewiston 19, Brockton, 2

Seeking Foreclosure For Northern Pacific.

CHICAGO, May 25—The Farmers' Loan and Trust company of New York, the holder of the $30 000,000 mortgage on the property of the Northern Pacific railroad, filed an amended and supplemental bill for foreclosure in the United States circuit court yesterday The bill was filed under an order issued by Judge Jenkins at Milwaukee, and under the same order the defendants are directed to plead answer or demur.

Tay Pay's Opinion

LONDON, May 25—T. P. O'Connor, M P, says that last night's division in the house of commons on the budget is looked upon as being an extremely critical moment for the government The Conservatives, he adds, anticipate that the government will be defeated or that they will pass the budget by a small majority.

Fur Thieves to Be Extradited

LONDON, May 25—The extradition of Adolph and Montague Bernard, who were arrested here April 24, on the complaint of Isaac Levy, a fur dealer of New York city, who charged them with the embezzlement of furs, checks and money, to the extent of $20,000, was granted yesterday.

A Left-Handed Honor

LONDON, May 25—In the senate of Cambridge university the proposal to confer an honorary degree upon the Duke of York, son of the Prince of Wales, was challenged, but on the motion being put to a vote it was carried by 137 to 6

An Unknown Wreck.

MANITOWOC, Wis., May 25—The captain of the tug J P Clark reports having discovered the topmast of a vessel sticking out of the water between Sheboygan and Manitowoc, three miles from land. Nothing is known of the ill-fated craft.

Queen Victoria's Birthday.

LONDON, May 25—The birthday of Queen Victoria (she was born May 24, 1819) was observed throughout England although the official celebration of the event will not take place until tomorrow, according to custom

Breckinridge Is Busy.

WASHINGTON, May 25—Representative Breckinridge left today for another round of speeches in his district. He spent yesterday in court working on the bill of exceptions in the appeal from the decision in the Pollard suit.

Keeping an Eye on England.

PARIS, May 25—M. DeLoncle is to introduce into the chamber of deputies the question of the British treaties with China, Italy and Belgium, alleging that they are a violation of French rights and existing treaties.

Wants to Wind Up.

LONDON, May 25—A petition has been filed in the chancery division of the high court of justice asking for the winding up of Dalziel's Atlantic Telegram company.

For a Gold Standard.

BERLIN, May 25—At a meeting at Friedricroda of the German Banking association, a resolution in favor of a gold standard was unanimously adopted.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

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BAY STATE LEGISLATURE.

FOREIGN CONTROL OF HOME COMPANIES DISCUSSED.

The American Bell Telephone Company Not Included in the Stock at Auction Bill —Other Stock Companies.

BOSTON, May 25—In the senate the bill to corporate the New England and New York Rai[illegible]ay was engrossed

The report of the committee on water supply against authorizing Gloucester to construct a system of water supply was accepted

The bill to prevent foreign corporations from issuing stock or other securities upon the property, franchise or stock of street railway, gas or electric corporations was given a third reading, 20 to 8

Amendments to the house bill to regulate the use of bicycles and similar vehicles were proposed chief of which was one to substitute "suitable alarm bell" for "continuously sounding automatic bicycle alarm," which was adopted, as were a few perfecting amendments The bill was then put over until Monday.

Mr Miller moved to reconsider the engrossment of the bill as to licenses to saloons within 400 feet of schools, and it was done He then moved to strike out the provision allowing hotels with more than 25 rooms within this limit The senate adopted the amendment striking out the exemption of first-class hotels and then engrossed it

The senate amendments to the license commission bill, that the commissioners shall hold no other office and may be removed after a hearing, were concurred in

The senate amendments to the state fire marshal bill were concurred in They fix the salary at $4500 and continue the office of the Boston fire marshal 30 days

Reconsideration prevailed on the vote whereby the house rejected the bill authorizing the inspector of industries at the state prison to assume control of the penitentiary in the absence of the warden and the deputy warden Rejection of the bill was then negatived

The house refused, by a vote of 73 to 103, to include in the stock-at-auction bill a clause including the American Bell Telephone company, and passed the bill to be engrossed

Senate amendments to the bill relative to the issue of stock and bonds by gas and electric light companies were concurred in.

TROOPS ORDERED OUT

Mob of Foreigners Attacked a Sheriff's Posse at La Salle, Ills.

LA SALLE, Ills, May 25.—A mob of 1000 coal strikers, none of them English-speaking, raided the shaft of the La Salle County Carbon Coal company here last evening, and in a conflict with the sheriff and his deputies five strikers, Sheriff Taylor and two deputy sheriffs were painfully wounded The mob closed in on the officers and a hand-to-hand fight ensued Three men were arrested, but one of them was released on the men threatening to tear down the jail and burn the city hall

SPRINGFIELD, Ills., May 25—Governor Altgeld this morning telegraphed for five companies of the Fourth infantry to report at Centralia, and four companies of the Seventh to report at La Salle at once.

A Government Victory.

LONDON, May 25—Sir John Lubbock, in the house of commons, moved the budget committee be empowered to divide the budget bill into two parts and to embody the provisions respecting the sinking fund in a different measure. The motion was rejected—161 to 121 The announcement of the government's victory was greeted with prolonged Liberal cheers The debate was expected, in some quarters, to prove the downfall of the Rosebery ministry

A Timely Discovery.

LONDON, May 25.—The police in Brussels have discovered a large quantity of dynamite cartridges, bombs and explosive materials hidden in a sugar refinery in Hornu. It is believed to be the secret store from which the anarchists concerned in the recent bomb explosions in Belgium procured their supplies.

Rights of Cyclists

PORTLAND, Me May 25—Walter Rumery was brought up in the police court, at the instigation of the League of American Wheelmen, charged with running down Alfred Walker The prisoner was remanded until tomorrow. This case will decide what right the cyclists have on public highways

Attempt at Train Wrecking.

NORTH ANSON, Me, May 25—An attempt was made to wreck a passenger train near this place An iron rail was placed across the track. The engineer saw it in time to slow up, but not until the locomotive struck the iron The train was thrown from the rails, but no damage was done.

A Self-Confessed Robber.

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., May 25—Daniel J Cote confessed to having stolen diamonds and rubies valued at $20,000 from the trunk of H C Barnum, and was sentenced to four years' hard labor in the state's prison Henry McCann was discharged for lack of evidence to convict him

Dean of Radcliffe.

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., May 25—It is announced in Philadelphia that Miss Agnes Irwin is to become dean of Radcliffe college. She does not authorize the announcement of her acceptance, but her friends say there is no doubt but that she will accept

Weybosset Mills on the Market

PROVIDENCE, May, 25—Arrangements are being made for the sale of Taft & Weeden's Weybosset mills, Olneyville Since the strike few operatives have been employed, but capitalists are anxious to take the property and continue work.

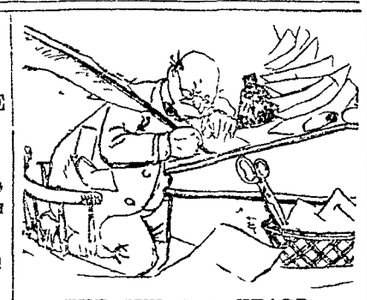
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THE SUN HAS HEARD.

That there is great rivalry between electric car men on the Lakeview avenue line and the driver of the police patrol, to see who can make the most trips on Saturday night

That the police patrol is ahead at present.

That a lady in the Highlands has never seen the police patrol.

That she is very anxious to see it.

That she does not live in the neighborhood where police signal boxes are located

That the newly made wine merchants are feeling very tired.

That there was a wooden model of Capt. Meigs' engine upon Fletcher street until a few months ago

CHANGES NEEDED.

How the Revision of the Ordinances Will Affect the School Board

Relative to the revision contemplated in the city ordinances, probably there will be less changes made in that part referring to the schools than any other chapter of equal importance

The committee appointed to revise the ordinances will be requested to make a change in that section providing for the election of a superintendent of schools, so that said election may take place annually in June, instead of July or August, as now required.

This would obviate the necessity of a meeting of the school board in July or August, and will otherwise expedite matters.

Another change rendered necessary by the erection of the new county truant school is in that section relating to the care of truants. The change recommended is, that the clause stating that truants shall be sent to a house of instruction or reformation in said city, shall be changed so as to have truants sent to the county truant school

Another section that must necessarily be changed owing to the erection of the new truant school, is that concerning a suitable place of confinement for truants The revised section will state that "the new county truant school is hereby assigned, as provided, as a place of confinement and discipline of truants."

LABOR NEWS.

A meeting was held last evening to organize the employes of the Middlesex company's mills

Wednesday the organizing committee of the C. L. U. distributed circulars to the employes of the mill, announcing that a meeting would be held in Jackson hall last evening, for the purpose of banding the operatives into a union. At the appointed time, comparatively few people had assembled in the hall.

Chairman Buckley called to order and stated it was desirable to have a large attendance before talking on the subject of organization He thought that the storm interfered with the attendance.

Secretary Weeks said that it looked to him as though there is no lack of desire on the part of the employes to organize He hoped that all present would induce the other operatives to attend a meeting next Thursday evening.

The meeting can be a secret one and the operatives can go ahead with their organization without any show. The committee does not intend to organize the employes for the purpose of having them strike or demand a higher scale of wages.

Transfer of Truants.

It has not been determined as yet how the transfer of truants will be made from the institution at city farm to the new truant school. Supt. Whitcomb says that in his opinion this matter rests entirely in the hands of the judge of the police court.

It is stated, however, that all truants now at the reform school will be transferred to the new truant school, as soon as the latter is opened None but truants and probably stubborn children will be received at the new school, as it is not considered proper to allow truants to mingle with persons sentenced for petty breaches of the law, as is now the case at the city institution. The opinion has been freely expressed, that such companionship instead of reforming a truant has had a tendency to lead them into the first steps in crime.

Good Templars' Entertainment

The lady members of Scotia lodge, I. O. G. T., entertained the gentlemen members and friends at Caledonian hall, last evening The attendance was very large, the hall being crowded during the whole evening The entertainment program included bagpipe selections by Andrew Scott; recitation, Miss Alice Young; vocal solos by Agnes McKinley, Agnes Brown, and Winnie Vosburg selections by the Chelmsford street quartet; duet, Guy Frazer and Agnes Brown, readings Katie Young and Maud McRae, harmonica solo, Fred Aubrey; bagpipe selection, Mr Frazer After the entertainment ice cream and cake were served, and games enjoyed

Praise for Merritt

In commenting on the release of Billy Merritt from the Bostons, the Herald says that he had been singularly unfortunate in injuring his thumb He will have little difficulty in signing elsewhere and for more money than he received in Boston.

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Ladies' fine tailor-made Prince Albert Suits of fine Storm Serge, coat lined throughout with satin, also in cloth, would cost you $20 to have made

$9.50
Ladies' fine tailor made Cutaway Suits in either Serge or Covert Cloth trimmed with braid, one of the latest designs, would cost you $15 to have made.

$6.50
Ladies' fine tailor-made Tuxedo Suits, of All-Wool Storm Serge, coat half lined with satin, a great bargain, as you could not buy the material for the price.

$3.75
Ladies' tailor-made suits of blue or black Serge, tight-fitting, would cost you $6 elsewhere.

An immense assortment of Ladies' Duck, Grass Linen, Percale and Drill Suits with Vests to match, at $1 50 $1 98, $2 50, $3 50, $4 50, $5, and $6 50, the most complete stock of these goods ever shown in Lowell.

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$5.00.

For a choice of Men's well fine and stylish made Sack Suits, made of strictly all wool cheviots, cloth manufactured by the Assabet woolen mills, sizes to fit any man. Value $10

$10.

For choice from several lines of Men's single and double breasted Sack and Dovetail Cutaway Frock Suits, made of fine worsted, cassimeres and cheviots, made to sell for $15 and $18, now only $10

$15.

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BOYS' SUITS at 75c., $1, $1.25, $1.50, $2, $2.50, $3.00, $3.50, $4.00, $5.00; the Knockabout and other exclusive styles.

MEN'S SUITS—$3, $4, $5, $6, $7, $8, $9, $10, $12, $14, $15, $18, $20.

Stylish COATS and VESTS of Clay Worsted at $8, $10, $12, $15, $18.

DRESS PANTS—$2, $3, $4 and $5.

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Men's Shirts.

75 dozen Men's Laundered Fancy Shirts, only 50c. each. These goods are positively sold in Lowell today at 75c.
1 lot of Fancy Bosom Shirts, in blue, pink and lavender, a regular $1 50 article, only 75c. each.
40 dozen Fancy Shirts (laundered), collar and cuffs attached, sold everywhere at $1.25, our special price Friday and Saturday 79c. each.
1000 Printed and Woven Cheviot Shirts, 36 inches long, made with sloping shoulders, banded collars, deep yoke, nothing like them anywhere less than 75c., our price 49c. each.

Tremendous Hosiery Bargain.

200 dozen Seamless Half Hose, regular price 17c. a pair, our price for Friday and Saturday 3 pairs for 25c.

Collars and Cuffs.

200 dozen 4-ply Linen Collars, new shapes, regular price 17c. a pair, our price for 2 days only. 11c. each.
100 dozen pairs of Cuffs, made from same quality linen, square or round corners, only 19c. a pair.

Night Robes, Neckwear, Suspenders.

One lot of Night Shirts, made to sell at 75c., our price for Friday and Saturday 49c. each.
One lot of Neckwear in new shapes and colors, sold everywhere at 50c., our price 25c. each.
1000 pairs of Suspenders, regular price 25c., down to 12 1-2c. a pair.

A Few Words With the Ladies.

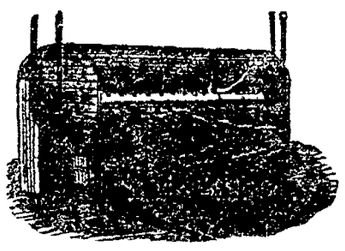
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NORMAL SCHOOL

Lowell Won the Battle With Lawrence.

SCHOOLS GO TO FITCHBURG, NO. ADAMS AND CAPE.

Vote Stood 123 to 46 in Lowell's Favor.

Lowell has won the normal school.

The vote was taken at 12.30 today and the bill providing for schools at Lowell, Fitchburg, North Adams and the cape was passed.

Lawrence was beaten 143 to 40.

It's a great victory for the Lowell representatives.

LOCAL NOTES.

Great bargains in shoes at Boulger & McOsker's. See their windows.

Children's russet spring heel, sizes 5 to 8 only 39c at Boulger & McOsker's.

Best place in Lowell for poor people to buy shoes is at Boulger & McOsker's.

The graduating exercises at St. Michael's school will occur Thursday, June 21st.

Have you seen the shoes they are selling for 99 cents and $1.23 at Boulger & McOsker's?

The trolley wires on the Chelmsford Center branch of the street railway are in position.

Boy's shoes, sizes 11 to 2 only 75 cents; sizes 3 to 5½, 85 cents at Boulger & McOsker's.

O'Donnell & Gilbride want the men to call today and tomorrow and buy from the gents' furnishing goods department where goods are the latest and most seasonable. See advertisement.

The Criterion has a special bargain sale today and tomorrow of shirt waists, silk waists and percale suits; 50c. shirt waists for 24c., suits worth $3.50 for $1.87 and silk waists worth $6 for $3.50 are a rarity.

DEATHS.

Agnes Scannell, aged 1 year, child of Bartholemew and Mary A. Scannell, died Wednesday night at their home, 535 Westford street.

Patrick McSorley, aged 64 years, died yesterday at his home, 24 Cedar street.

Mr. David Murphy, formerly in the employ of the Lowell Gas company, died at his home, 118 Adams street, yesterday afternoon. He is survived by a father, mother, brother and five sisters. Deceased was a member of the Emerald association and of the Wolftone guards.

McManmon, florist, Prescott & Merr'k sts.

Records Were Broken.

The 999th and the Glendons were the contestants in the duckpin game at Les Miserables alleys last evening. The former team broke two records by making a team string of 496, and a three string total of 1428. Dan. Donahue was right in the game, gained a lap on John B. Swift by beating his single string record by one pin. Dan scored 172 last evening. The team play of the 999th was very even. McLaughlin bowled his first game in the tournament and made a good score. The score follows:

999th—H. Farrell 270, D. Donahue 301, Savage 284, McLaughlin 283, Brown 289; total 1428.

Glendons—Wilson 282, Seede 249, Peters 240, Dooley 284, Daigneault 250; total 1202.

Germany's Invitation.

LONDON, May 25.—The British government has received a proposal from Germany to hold a conference on the Samoan question. Great Britain will probably accept.

Trustees Will Rebuild.

LACONIA, N. H., May 25.—The trustees of Gilmanton academy have voted to erect a building in the place of the one burned last Sunday.

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LICENSE COMMISSION BERTHS ARE IN VIEW.

Mayor Pickman Will Have a Host of New Friends.

At the state house today, a bill which was originally intended to take the license question out of politics by the appointment of a license commission, went to Gov. Greenhalge for his signature or rejection.

After spending much time on the matter, the law makers finally decided upon how it should appear when a law.

Amendment after amendment was made and we find that the bill as finally changed leaves the matter of appointing commissioners in the hands of the mayor.

But is the license evil remedied by the appointment of commissioners by the mayor?

It may be to some extent, yet the liquor traffic cannot be said to have been entirely removed from politics, for the mayor's appointees will be under obligations to the mayor, and he will, if he chooses, reward his constituents with licenses through the men he appoints.

There will be no crooked aldermanic fighting with the commission, thank goodness, for the aldermen will cut no figure whatever, with the men who grant the licenses.

The candidates are of course very numerous; they are for any public office where there is prestige, if but little cold cash. In the matter of appointments the public is desirous that none but the best qualified will be appointed by the mayor. He has shown himself to have been very anxious about the local licenses and very careful that only respectable and well appointed places should get licenses. He even went around with the license committee for that committee being composed of aldermen was liable to be less critical in its inspections than he would be and besides being aldermen they might inspect the name and "pull" of the applicant rather than his victualling facilities. He went around and saw the places and afterwards besides making two or three little speeches signed all the licenses granted by the aldermen. In their recommendation, they made no mistakes, all of the 77 had proper victualling facilities, even those where a stove without a pipe, two chairs, a table and a broken plate constituted the "facilities."

Who are the candidates?

It is thought that Willis P. Burbank might be coaxed to take an appointment. He's a good republican and at present is among the unemployed. He has, it is said, congressional aspirations. So has the mayor, according to report. If a license commissioner Burbank would not aspire for congress for awhile, not an aspirant to the nomination, the mayor's chances would be better and therefore Burbank would make a good license commissioner. But, Mr. Burbank isn't doing a great amount of talking, while, it is said, the buzz of a saw is often heard in his back yard.

A. G. Thompson is a man prominent in republican circles, and had the governor the power to appoint, it is probable Mr. Thompson would be a commissioner.

Hon. C. D. Palmer has been mentioned as a candidate for one of the offices, but it is hardly probable that he would accept an appointment.

Whenever a public office is looking for a man to fill it, and there is the least chance for a republican to jump into it, up bobs serenely Col. Al. Pindar, the star of republican office seekers. The colonel would make a first class commissioner if experience with people who drink liquor counts for anything. He has had charge of the city farm to which drunks are sent, and upon retiring from the service at that place, he opened a place in Middlesex Village where drunks were sent to be cured of their appetites for liquor. Now, he is mentioned as a man who would know to whom to grant licenses to sell liquor.

"Bill" Hayes knows where the licensed places are for he sells many of them cigars. "Old Hundred" is mentioned as a candidate for the office, but it is whispered that Bill is looking for an "Hou" and hasn't time to bother about license commissions.

Ex-Superintendent Horace P. Beals might find time for the job.

The mayor and Lawyer John J. Harvey are great friends, doing business in the same office. Mr. Harvey's chances for an appointment are said to be quite good.

Of course Col. Jim Bennett stands a show, so do Ex-Mayor Jewett, Albert Wheeler, Albert Crowell, Charles Carter and Frank L. Weaver.

Among the democrats there are some very desirable candidates spoken of, though their chances with our non-partisan mayor are not very good. There is Cassius B. Pierce of the American Express company, whom many would like to see in the position. Then another desirable man is George F. Blair of School street, a staunch democrat. Mr. Blair has never sought public office although often solicited. He is in the real estate business and is accounted wealthy. Frank B. Dow's name has been mentioned.

Councilman John G. Gordon of Ward Two is a pronounced candidate for the position. He is a good democrat and a graduate of Brown university. He is popular or he would not have been elected in that ward.

Among the other democrats mentioned are Col. Haggett, ex-Alderman Butterworth, Hon. Jeremiah Crowley and Fisher H. Pearson. But the crop on both sides is a growing one, and as frosts are not likely to come the crop will be a generous one and Mayor Pickman will have to borrow a magnifying glass to find the man he wants in the clamoring throng.

T. D. PIPES BURNED.

Small Blaze in a Cigar Shop To-day Was Probably Caused by Rats

The alarm from box 25 was occasioned by a slight blaze in the cigar manufactory of Henry P. Flood, No. 434 Merrimack street.

The fire started in a box containing matches and these together with a few boxes of T. D. pipes and a small portion of the counter under which the matches were stored, were damaged.

Mr. Flood and his two assistants were in the rear shop when the fire started. It is supposed that rats among the matches caused the fire. The damage will not be great, but it is amply covered by H. C. Church & Son, liberal insurance agents.

Why Not.

If you are economizing why not look over your printing bills and see if you are not paying too much for printing. Call at this office and get prices on your work, and see if we cannot save money for you.

FROM OUR ARMORY.

NOTES OF INTEREST RELATING TO APPROACHING MUSTER.

One of the New Rifles on Exhibition—The Militia Will be Equipped With Them in Three Years—Cadets Have a Campfire.

The talk is all "muster" at the armory. Companies C and G of the Sixth Regiment and the Ambulance Corps are ready for muster. The latter goes into camp a week from Monday, and the others on Tuesday. Passes good for Thursday and Friday of muster week have been distributed to the men; the officers will have passes good for the week for distribution. This is the first year of discrimination in this respect.

The order that racks will not be allowed in the tents has caused a demand for a new style of rack, which will get around the order. It will not do to have clothing or guns piled on the floor, so Armorer Farnsworth has gotten up a new arrangement which is far better than the old one.

Capt. Mitten attended the meeting of the Ninth Regiment officers in Boston, yesterday.

Visitors to the muster field this year must either carry their own luncheons or go into Framingham for refreshments. No more complimentary meals to visitors.

The Ambulance Corps, Lowell division as usual has issued a neat "at home" card. The boys will not keep "house open" as in years past but will nevertheless be "at home" in every sense of the word to their friends.

The Cadet company had an informal spread in its rooms after drill last night, and to members of other companies the aroma of coffee gave evidence of a fine spread. The guests were Mr. Gid White, A. A. Hovey, Frank Hawes, C. W. Brigham, C. E. Osgood and F. A. Dutton. A general good time followed the "feed."

A rifle team of seven men captained by Lieut Worthen will compete against the crack team of the Sixth regiment at Wakefield next week.

The New Rifle.

Armorer Tom Farnsworth has one of the new magazine rifles on exhibition. It is a fine weapon, finely finished and even artistically mounted if such a thing is possible. The barrel is of small size for the calibre is only .30. The bayonet is an adaptation from the European "cheese stabber," or sword bayonet. It is of blue steel. The magazine carries five cartridges. It is a hammerless gun, the firing pivot having a sliding movement. About two inches from the firing point, and projecting from the side is a steel swivel. This is the ejector. In position it is down, but after firing it is pulled upward and toward the breech thereby ejecting a shell from the chamber and loading the chamber from a small magazine.

The swivel is then pushed into place. The one operation of pulling up the ejector, sliding it back and then returning it to position suffices to load and cock the gun. It can be discharged very rapidly. One thing is quite evident, when the rifle comes into general use the "carry" will be dropped from the manual, ordinarily, as the ejector swivel interferes with the carry. Already the companies in the regular army using the new rifle have been relieved of the carry in ordinary drill. The militia will be equipped with the new rifle in three years. The cartridge is copper cased and the ball is a spherical lead filled copper case. The bullet will go through a man leaving a clean round wound. The wounds are the same as those inflicted by a Mannlicher rifle ball.

NOT OF THE MAIN HERD.

None of Mr. C. I. Hood's Celebrated Jerseys Among Those Burned Wednesday Night.

From a humane standpoint, the loss of some of Mr. Hood's jerseys by fire at Lowell, Mass., Wednesday night, is deplorable. From a financial standpoint the loss, if any, is trifling, as it is well covered by insurance, and the standing of the herd is in no way affected, as the number that perished is insignificant in so large a herd, and did not include any of his celebrated animals.

With the additions that Mr. Hood has recently made to his stock, the Hood farm herd of Jerseys is one of the largest and best, if not the best, in the world. Had this fire occurred in his main barn the loss would have been irreparable. Fortunately, however, it was in another farm, and the stock consumed, having been bought recently in the West, had never entered his main herd.

It is Mr. Hood's habit, and it is a wise one, to isolate or quarantine from the rest of the herd any stock recently purchased, and not commingle them with his main herd for months, until constant inspection by his veterinary surgeon has assured him that the health of each animal is perfect.

Following this custom, the animals destroyed by fire were quarantined at the time of the fire.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

A cataract has been removed from Gladstone's eye.

The British warship Hyacinthe seized three seal poachers.

Argentine is to give up Jabez Balfour to the British authorities.

The Harvard Canadian club observed the queen's birthday with a dinner at Boston.

Ruth King, 2 years old, was fatally burned by the explosion of a kerosene lamp at Providence.

Frank Swanson was run over by an electric car at Providence. Internal injuries will cause death.

Carl Weiss, who stabbed his brother at Roslindale, Mass., confessed to his crime, and his accomplice in robbery, Thomas Burke, also pleaded guilty.

The Usual Democratic Majority.

RICHMOND, May 25.—The municipal elections throughout Virginia passed off quietly. Generally the results were simply a ratification of the will of the Democratic majority throughout the state.

Likely to Spread.

PROVIDENCE, May 25.—An epidemic of malignant diphtheria has broken out here. Nine cases were found in one section of the city. There is every reason to believe that the disease will spread.

A Good Capture.

PARIS, May 25.—Three anarchists, named Guerin, Benoilleu and Gauch, have been arrested. Gauch is worth 600,000 francs. It is asserted that he has supplied the anarchists with funds.

Fought In the War of 1812.

PROVIDENCE, May 25.—William Cooper died yesterday at East Providence. He was born in 1793, and lived in the same place 98 years. He was a veteran of the war of 1812.

How Peru Does It.

LIMA, May 25.—Several prisoners, charged with political offenses, have been removed to Callao and placed in dungeons. Among the prisoners is Post Chocano.

BIG SENSATION

Real Live Tramp Stirred Up the Police Court.

AN UNBRIDLED TONGUE LET LOOSE MADE A SCENE.

Unknown Individual Has Gone to Bridgewater.

There was a big sensation in police court this morning.

Among the prisoners was a real live professional tramp, whose name and history were unknown.

He had been loafing around Tewksbury for the past few days and was arrested by Constable Allen Buchanan.

Buchanan had a tussle with him when arresting him.

He was charged with being a vagrant and when the lengthy complaint had been read the clerk said:

"What do you say?"

"I say nothing. I don't know what I am here for; I walked along the road molesting no one and that ——fool arrested me."

"Shut up" said Office Bumps.

"I'll shut you up—quick" responded the tramp.

While Officer Buchanan gave his testimony the prisoner sat in the dock with a wild look on his bronzed features, muttering and cursing to himself.

"Do you want to ask him any questions? He says you're a tramp, begging food at different houses" said the court.

"Whom do you want me to ask questions? I never did him wrong."

"I was walking within your town limits, not troubling anything or anybody.

"I am a tramp, I live at no home. My home is in the free air." This was followed by a volley of oaths.

"Who are you talking to?" asked the court.

"I'm speaking to myself. Then you speak to yourself. I am my own counselor and advisor." More oaths.

He was sentenced to the state farm at Bridgewater for 8 months, and the court ordered him to be removed at once.

Officer Bumps put his hand on the savage prisoner and the latter went at him with the yell: "Take your hand off me."

Officers Breen and Ingalls and Agent Drury rushed to Officer Bumps assistance, and the tramp's desire to clean out the court room suddenly vanished.

Down stairs he made another fight, but was finally put in a cell.

The man is evidently a maniac of the most dangerous character.

SPORTING GOSSIP.

While talking about bowling the other night with "Veteran" Jim McLaughlin, the latter expressed his desire to see a change in bowling. He said that 80 years ago, when bowling was all the rage and the basement of the old Museum building was used for alleys, the leading game was candle pins. "Why," said he, "we would no more think of using big pins, such as we now use, with big balls than to use big balls in the duck pin tournament. 'Greenies' from the country would use the combination, but bowlers would use candle pins. I believe in cutting down the size of the pins, to half way between the present size and duck pins. Use the same balls, and put the pins on the same spots; then you would see scientific work. The game at present is not scientific; all of us ought to make better scores with the chances offered."

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There will be less boating on the river this year than ever before, yet Stevens, the boat builder, says the boating will come around again when the boys decide "that cycling is too much work."

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A knot of prominent club men were talking club matters the other day. Vesper men predominated and accordingly they had their say, which was upon the benefits to be derived from an amalgamation of the present clubs in this city. For instance, the Vespers need an athletic field very much, a field where all sorts of sports could be carried out. If the club had the Dracut oval up near the club house the acme of perfection would be reached. But a suggestion was offered that a big down town club be formed with the Vesper house for the summer annex and the Dracut oval for its field. In large cities a club house is in town and its adjuncts a few miles away. But in small places people want everything in their own dooryard.

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The first season of the Miserables club has shown pretty conclusively that the East Merrimack street club house is handy. With a fine approach as will come when the new bridge is completed this fact will be illustrated more fully. It is understood that financially the season has been successful for the club; surely, it has been a success socially. With better times, as will surely come, and more money in people's pockets next winter, the club should make an effort to meet the demands of its club members, or rather branch out and make a good down town club of it. There is room for it, and properly organized it will succeed; more than that existence of the bowling alleys has contributed not a little to promoting sobriety and good order. Many a man has paid ten cents for bowling and thereby obtained exercise and enjoyment from the sport who previously used the money to buy beer.

PERSONAL.

Charles A. Whittier has accepted a position as manager of the Briggs conservatory at Taunton.

Mr. and Mrs. George H. Wood have gone on a trip through the west.

Dr. Solon Bartlett is improving daily.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Cameron of Westford and Mrs. Kebler have returned from Jamaica.

Miss Lea Brunnette has gone to Biddeford, Me.

Mrs. John I. Gibson and the Misses Kidder of Nesmith street have gone to Mt. Vernon, N. H., to spend the summer.

Henry Latour of Central Falls, R. I., is visiting friends in this city.

Mrs. E. D. Hazelton of Durant street, is entertaining Miss M. F. Blake, formerly of this city.

Mrs. Charles S. Lilley is now resting well, and the chances are very favorable for her recovery.

Mrs. James B. Field has gone to New York, to visit her sister.

C. E. A. Bartlett has been chosen a director of the Peterboro', N. H., railroad.

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FOR WOMAN'S RIGHTS.

MISS ANTHONY'S PLEA FOR WOMAN SUFFRAGE.

The Home Vote Would be Doubled and Moral Influence Far Reaching.

ALBANY, May 25.—Because of Miss Susan B. Anthony's inability to remain in Albany later than yesterday, the committee on suffrage of the constitutional convention gave a hearing to her yesterday afternoon. The scene presented was a curious one, for more than two-thirds of the audience were composed of noted lawyers of the state, while the other third were women anxious to have the word "male" stricken from the constitution.

Mrs. Greenleaf of Rochester was the first speaker, and she briefly outlined the condition of women at the time the present constitution was adopted and at the present time. She said that the voice of the governed should be heard in the government. Laws had been made for women, and women were now governed almost the same as men.

She then introduced Miss Anthony, who was received with loud applause. She went to the root of the question at once. She detailed the workings of woman suffrage in other states and countries. In England, spinsters and widows could vote if they were property holders. In Kansas women were given the right to vote on all school questions, and the results had been very good. Women were now doing the same work as men, in the same manner, but for half the pay.

Will Help Poor Women.

Enfranchise the women and the results will be different. The work for equal suffrage was not being done to help the wife of the millionaire, but to help the poor working woman, and put them on the same plane as the man of equal ability. Kansas had also granted women suffrage on municipal matters, and these, too, had brought good results. The governments were better, and that, too, was the case in the state of Wyoming, where women had been granted the right of suffrage for 25 years. The governors of that state were all in favor of retaining that feature, and the people there were hearty in their praise of it.

She said that Colorado was the first state in the Union where a majority of the men had gone to the polls and had there voted to give the women equal suffrage. As to the question of the removal of property qualifications of women in this state, she said it was the vote of the poor man that removed it years ago. If the women were allowed to vote now they would remove the word "male."

Another reason why they should strike it out was that of moral influence. Women were the controlling influences in the school, in the church and the charitable institutions. Men controlled the saloons, the gambling houses, the race tracks. "Put these in the balance opposite each other," said she, raising her hand, "and you will see that the material interest of the world will kick the beam. That's our side. That's why we should vote."

The question has been raised about the ignorant vote. There are fewer uneducated women than there are men. The prisons of the United States contain 55,000 men and 5000 women. There are fewer women without homes than men, and the floating vote would not be doubled by granting suffrage, but the home vote would be doubled and the floating vote minimized.

Not a New Hand.

"Does anybody want to ask me any questions? You need not be afraid. I have been on the stump for 40 years. If we could vote, you would not be afraid to argue."

Turning to the venerable Thomas Alvord, who sat on the committee, Miss Anthony said: "Mr. Alvord was an enemy of ours 27 years ago. Does he want to give a reason for it now?"

Amid laughter and applause, Mr. Alvord rose and said: "I would say to Miss Anthony that I sit here as a judge. The jury surrounds us, and when all is finished they will give to the women their rights."

In closing, Miss Anthony called attention to the fact that only unpardoned criminals, idots, lunatics, Chinamen and women were forbidden the right of franchise, thus classing women with a degraded class.

Admiral Hopkins' Courtesy.

BOSTON, May 25.—Vice Admiral Hopkins gave an informal banquet to Governor Greenhalge last night on board H. M. S. Blake. The colors of Great Britain and the United States were festooned side by side at the head of the table. A portrait of the queen also adorned the saloon where the feast was spread. Tonight the commonwealth will entertain the Britishers with a banquet.

Hatch Still Missing.

LACONIA, N. H., May 25.—The whereabouts of the missing young business man, Herbert C. Hatch, is still a mystery to his almost heart-broken wife and his numerous creditors. It has been ascertained that he did not visit Boston after he left this city last Saturday, and it is believed that he changed cars at Nashua Junction for New York.

One Boy Was Lucky.

BOSTON, May 25.—Will Norman Morrison, aged 8, and John Cotter, aged 9, were playing on the railroad bridge of the New York and New England road and were struck by a train and knocked overboard. Cotter was fatally injured, while Morrison received only a scratch.

Peytral May Try It.

PARIS, May 25.—M. Peytral had a conference with President Carnot yesterday, and at its expiration informed the president that he thought the task of forming a cabinet was beyond his power. But, he added, he would confer with his colleagues and would give his answer later.

Indiana Populists' Ticket.

INDIANAPOLIS, May 25.—The Populists nominated the following ticket: Secretary of state, C. A. Robinson of Fountaintown, Shelby county; auditor, Edgar A. Perkins of Indianapolis; treasurer, A. B. Keepert of Logansport; attorney general, Silas M. Holcomb of Tipton.

The Susquehanna Again Rising.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., May 25.—The rainstorm which set in yesterday is still raging and the Susquehanna river is again rising rapidly. People living on the lowlands on the west side of the river are making preparations to vacate their homes.

A Coming Society Event.

NEW YORK, May 25.—Cards out for the wedding of Miss Ellen Windom, daughter of the late secretary of the treasury, and Bentley W. Warren of Boston. Harry Garfield, son of the late President Garfield, will be the best man.

SENATE

Is Still Engaged in Partisan Strife.

SENATOR GORMAN CRITICISED BY HALE.

The House Fight on the Civil Service.

WASHINGTON, May 25.—The senate proceedings were enlivened by a short debate on Hawaii and a very sarcastic speech from Mr. Hale on Mr. Gorman's speech.

The Maryland senator, Mr. Hale said, had spoken none too soon. The Macedonian cry had gone up, like the wail of a lost soul, from the Democracy of the country for some one to appear as a leader in the senate.

He read from Democratic papers arraignments of the majority of the senate for the "surrender" of principle contained in the "Gorman-Brice bill." The senator from Maryland, Mr. Hale proceeded, had come forward with the effort of his life to re-form the broken Democratic ranks.

The speech made by the Maryland senator, added Mr. Hale, was made not to the country, but to his Democratic colleagues. Mr. Hale continued with vivid words and vitriolic comment to divide the Democratic side of the chamber into "groups," to which he said Mr. Gorman had addressed his remarks.

The "Groups" Described.

The first group, he said, comprised the two senators from New York, Messrs. Hill and Murphy, Mr. Smith (N. J.) and Messrs. Kyle and Roach. They represented constituencies opposed to this bill.

The second group—a large one—despised the bill before the senate, because it gave the lie to the convictions and professions of a lifetime. It contained Messrs. Mills and Coke (Tex.), Vest and Cockrell (Mo.), Vilas (Wis.), Gray (Del.), Palmer (Ills.), Lindsay and Blackburn (Ky.), Harris and Bate (Tenn.) and perhaps one or two others.

They were the men who when they were obliged to vote for protection to coal and iron ore, to the Sugar trust and Lead trust, would ask themselves: "Is thy servant a dog that he should do this?" Then they would all vote for these provisions and answer their own questions.

There was another group to which no appeal from the senator was necessary. It included Messrs. Camden and Faulkner (W. Va.), Morgan and Pugh (Ala.), Caffery and Blanchard (La.), Brice (O.), Gibson (Md.), and the great compromiser himself, Mr. Gorman, had given no anxiety to this group.

Why? Because they had secured all they wanted. It extended to the confines of the earth, but he repeated that they had got all they wanted.

Mr. Hale continued to point out in detail specifically what he termed the "price" paid for votes in the latter group, calling attention to speeches made by these senators in the past.

The bill as it now stood, Mr. Hale said, had no responsible parents. It was a political bastard. It was the result of the intercourse of those who had abandoned party principle with the easy virtue of a few protected industries and the habitual prostitutes of the trusts.

It was after 3 o'clock when the senate got down to actual work on the schedules. Very fair progress was made, eight pages (from paragraph 121 to 143 inclusive) being disposed of.

The surprise of the day was the acceptance by the finance committee of an amendment offered by Mr. Allen, the Nebraska Populist, to place barbed wire on the free list. Several Republicans opposed it, but did not carry their opposition to the extent of demanding a record-making vote upon it. An intimation from Mr. Hour that free barbed wire was to be the price of Mr. Allen's vote for the tariff bill was indignantly denied.

A Week's Fight Ended.

After being under consideration for just one week, the legislative, executive and judicial appropriation bill was passed by the house.

The main fight was in the house after the bill had been reported back from the committee of the whole on the amendment declaring the laws authorizing the docking of members' salaries for absence repealed, and on the amendment refusing to provide for the civil service commission. Separate yea and nay votes were demanded on these amendments, when the first was lost by a vote of 104 to 129, and the latter by 90 to 158.

A yea and nay vote was taken on the amendment offered by Mr. Enloe striking out the appropriation for the salaries of the civil service commissioners and clerks, which the committee of the whole adopted by a decisive vote. It resulted: Yeas, 80; nays, 158. So the amendment was lost.

Another amendment proposed by Mr. Caruth and agreed to in the committee of the whole, which was designed to still further emasculate the civil service commission, was defeated in the house without division, as was also the amendment to equalize the salaries of the assistant doorkeepers of the house.

The only amendments adopted yesterday in the committee of the whole and agreed to by the house were to increase the appropriation for publishing the postal guide from $15,000 to $30,000, and an additional item of $2500 for clerical service for the Dockery commission.

Mr. Terry secured the adoption of an amendment providing that each circuit court of appeals should be entitled to have expended for its use at least one-half of such surplus as they had accrued.

Mobbed the Police.

BERLIN, May 25.—The people of Kassel have been excited by reports concerning the ill treatment of police prisoners. Yesterday afternoon 500 persons mobbed a small force of police in Marcks square and sang the Marseillaise. The Hussars were called out and restored order. Many persons were injured.

On a Three Months' Cruise.

NEW BEDFORD, Mass., May 25.—Revenue cutter S. P. Chase sailed yesterday on a three months' voyage. She has a crew of 25 men and 12 cadets. She will make port at Corunna, Spain, St. Michael and Gardiner's Bay.

Standing of Maine Banks.

WASHINGTON, May 25.—Reports from 83 banks of Maine show loans and discounts amounting to $25,700,077; lawful money reserve, $1,410,601; individual deposits, $13,087,873. Average reserve, 24.44 per cent.

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EIGHT YEARS OLD.

ROYAL ARCANUMITES OF HIGHLAND LODGE MADE MERRY.

Their Anniversary Was Fittingly Observed With a Big Supper and Interesting Post Prandial Exercises.

Highland lodge, Royal Arcanum, celebrated its 8th anniversary last evening and held a grand banquet in Highland hall.

Many prominent guests were present including the following grand officers: Grand Regent Frank W. Reynolds of Jamaica Plain, grand orator William H. Simmons of Fall River, Grand Chaplain Samuel M. Tourtellot of Newton Centre, Grand Guide John E. McKenna of Waltham. Regent French, Vice Regent Whitman, Grand Vice Regent David and Thomas L. Dickey of Lowell council were also present.

A business meeting was first held and seven new members were admitted.

An adjournment was then made to the banquet hall where a fine spread was prepared.

After supper, Regent W. Dana Hill called to order, welcomed all present and spoke in complimentary terms of the work of Past Regent Jacob Murphy, the founder of the council, who has already brought 100 members into the council.

He introduced as toastmaster Past Regent A. G. Walsh, who was greeted with prolonged applause.

Mr. Walsh referred to the work of the council since its organization, and attributed a great part of its success to the efforts of Mr. Jacob Murphy.

A telegram expressing his regrets at his inability to be present was received from Past Grand Deputy Robinson.

Grand Regent Reynolds spoke of the strength of the order, which, he said, numbers 153,000 members, and is paying out $4,000,000 each year.

Grand Orator Simmons expressed a wish that every council had several such men as Past Regent Murphy and said that those who accepted office without accepting the full responsibility are not true to the best interests of the order.

Mayor Pickman spoke in a very happy vein. He spoke of the advantages of membership in the Royal Arcanum.

The other speakers were Mr. Jacob Murphy, Rev. H. A. Greene and Grand Chaplain Tourtellot.

It was 11.30 before the festivities came to a close.

POLICE COURT.

Hadley, J.

Deputy McQuade prosecuted the cases this morning.

Two were released, the others fined.

Frederick Haworth pleaded not guilty to the charge of non-support of his wife, Mary.

The latter said that her husband of late has not supported her at all, losing all his work, drinking hard and going places where he should not go. She worked hard every day to support herself and her daughter. He would not work steadily nor would he help her in any way.

Haworth said that his wife drank as much as he did, and admitted that his wife was a hard working woman. He hadn't been able to strike a steady occupation since last year when he was in court on a horse case.

Constable Conway testified that Haworth didn't work and had considerable trouble with his wife.

Judge Hadley in advising Haworth, who is an Englishman, said, "It may be the custom in the old country for a husband to stay at home while his wife works hard to support the family, but in this country, the husband is the head of the family, and the bread winner, while the wife presides over the home, and performs domestic duties." Haworth was taken on probation.

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THE CARPET strike is not yet settled.

THE WARSHIPS Blake and Tarter are visiting in Boston harbor.

GOV. FLOWER seems to be doing little else than vetoing bills these times.

THERE WILL soon be a new councilman from Ward Six and a new candidate in the field for representative.

THE DEMOCRATS have amazed their republican opponents in the U. S. senate by getting together on the tariff question. The senate bill is now pretty sure to be passed.

REPUBLICANS ARE now beginning to charge the democrats of congress with breaking their party pledges. That is comical.

THOMAS CALLAN is again the object of general sympathy in this city. His friends are in hopes that his injuries will not prove so serious as at first supposed.

THE 400 feet from a school bill is so amended that it will not cause much disturbance to liquor dealers. The line will be measured on the same street and not as an air line radius with the school as a centre.

THE LICENSE commission bill is now pretty sure to become a law. It will change the political situation in most of the cities of the state. No longer will the aldermen have a hypnotising power upon liquor dealers.

MAYOR RUTTER of Lawrence will now have an opportunity to give Mr. Collins a place on the license commission in defiance of the aldermen. The latter may confirm Collins in order to avert such a result of their obstinacy.

THE NEW BEDFORD Mercury talks of the tax on the net income of savings banks as if it were a 2 per cent. tax on deposits. While the deposits of a bank may be millions, the earnings may not be much, may not be anything and a tax upon this something or this nothing is what is so loudly complained of.

IT DOES seem rather strange that Boston with a fire department supposed to be the best in New England suffers so much from fire. There is undoubtedly some secret cause which should, if possible, be revealed. Possibly a little overhauling would be of use. To discharge all the principal officers, however, would probably be a plan of improvement that would not be attended with the desired result.

AN INTERESTING trial has been concluded in the Superior court, Boston, resulting in a verdict for the plaintiff. The Old Colony railroad sued to recover a fifteen cent fare from a passenger who refused to pay because he was not provided with a seat. The court rules that transportation alone entitles the company to the fare. The passenger could have left the train on finding no vacant seat but remained standing.

THE SPEECHES made at the convention of the Irish National Federation in Boston on Wednesday were the most convincing that have been heard in this state for years on the justice of the cause, the need of harmony and the wisdom of maintaining majority rule. The leading spirits of the movement in Boston are T. B. Fitzpatrick, Dominick Toy and Daniel P. Sullivan. They never stop working and are known throughout the state as indomitable champions of the Irish cause.

THE OUTLOOK BRIGHTENING.

The democrats in the U. S. senate are now united on the tariff bill and it is bound to pass despite the opposition of republicans. The senate bill makes the tariff lighter upon the necessaries of life and heavier upon luxuries. The removal of the tax from wool will probably aid the woolen industry. There is a sufficiently high tax upon articles of woolen manufacture if free cotton has aided the cotton mills there is no reason why free wool will not also aid the woolen mills. The senate bill will probably be adopted with some slight changes by the house. The trouble will then be settled, business activity will reappear and the depression will be a thing of the past before the end of summer. There are certain republican papers in this city and elsewhere which delight in predicting prolonged business depression and all kinds of disaster as a result of the delays of congress in settling the tariff question. They do not acknowledge that the republicans in congress have been carrying out a policy of obstruction and causing all the delay possible. But in spite of republican opposition times will improve, business will start up in all lines of industry and the predictions of the calamity howlers will be falsified. Here is what Senator Gorman says of the present outlook:

"After 20 years of political progress, of positive growth, of constant development and of universal enlightenment the democratic party and the American people are within sight of the promised land. Emancipation is at hand—emancipation from partisan oppression, from the greed of classes, from extortion, from wilful extravagance, from financial tyranny, from spoils, from restrictions upon individual liberty, from jingoism, from all those evils in brief which the democratic party inherited as a legacy from three decades of republican mal-administration."

Senator Gorman is in a position to know whereof he speaks, and he is thus sanguine of success.

It is just as well, therefore, for the pessimists to stop croaking and turn their faces to the returning light of prosperity peering from behind the gloomy clouds that hovered over the country for the past year. Troubles there are to be sure, but they will disappear with the putting into force of the new tariff law, and some of the worst evils of McKinleyism will be wiped out.

Soon the policy of the democratic party will be vindicated, despite the opponents of the administration.

A LAW has recently been passed in New York with the following provision:

Any person who wilfully states, delivers or transmits by any means whatever to any manager, editor, publisher, reporter or other employe of a publisher of any newspaper, magazine, publication, periodical or serial any statement concerning any person or corporation which, if published, would be a libel, is guilty of a misdemeanor."

At present in this state many persons think it is "smart" to impose a false story on a newspaper. Such a law would make them cautious. It does not, however, relieve the paper of any responsibility.

CHUGWATER'S EXPLANATION.

It Made Him Very Uneasy, and He Started For That Money.

"Josiah," inquired Mrs. Chugwater as she poured the coffee, "what does it mean when the papers talk about the financial situation being strained and the money market unsettled, and all that sort of thing?"

"It means that there is an uneasy feeling about securities," answered Mr. Chugwater, reaching for another biscuit.

"What does that mean?"

"Why, stocks and bonds, and—um—speculative values generally."

"What makes them have an uneasy feeling?"

"It's the operators, you understand, the financiers, that have that. When there comes a stringency in the money market"—

"In the money market? Do they sell money?"

"They sell securities, which is about the same thing, only they fluctuate in value. The condition of the stock and bond market is an index of the financial situation generally."

"I don't seem to understand it any better than I did before," said Mrs. Chugwater dubiously. "What is it that makes money scarce sometimes? Does the government quit making it?"

"No. It's simply withheld from investment in ordinary speculative channels. It's withdrawn from circulation and hoarded up. Can you understand that?"

"Yes, yes, I suppose so. What does anybody want to withdraw it from circulation for, Josiah?"

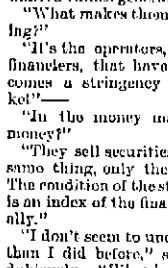
"It's all a matter of public confidence," said Josiah, becoming slightly impatient. When everybody has confidence in his fellow men, there's no stringency. It's this ridiculous habit some people have," he went on, warming with his subject, "of getting scared about nothing that makes panics. Somebody has a little money in a bank. He begins to be afraid the bank isn't all right, and he goes down town to take it out. He tells some friend on the way down what he's going to do, and that friend tells somebody else and it spreads, and the first thing you know there's a run on a perfectly sound bank, and all because some gourd head has lost confidence. And that reminds me," said Mr. Chugwater, checking himself hurriedly and looking at his watch, "that I've got about $400 in old Gumbling's bank that isn't any too safe. I'm going right down town now as quick as I can get there to draw every cent of it out!"

And with nervous haste Mr. Chugwater put on his hat and overcoat, shot out through the front door, and half an hour later was walking crazily back and forth on the sidewalk in front of old Gumbling's bank waiting for the doors to open.—Chicago Tribune.

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"A queer thing happened to me in your town of Detroit once," said a Buffalo man to a Detroiter the other day.

"Arrested on suspicion?"

"Hardly that. No; it's no joke. Some one stole my overcoat from a barber shop, and I went to a secondhand store to get something cheap to wear home. Didn't want to leave more money in your town than I was obliged to, you know."

"I follow."

"Well, I found something that suited me for $5. I thought the price a little high even at $5, but while handling the coat I felt in the right hand pocket and found a wallet."

"Of course. Our secondhand men knew that trick before Buffalo was founded."

"Yes, I felt a wallet and planked down a 'V' and walked off with the coat. The man wanted to send it to me, but you bet I didn't let him get his paws on the garment again. I couldn't hardly wait to get over to the hotel to examine the wallet."

"Yes, I know. It always works that way."

"Say, boy, how much do you suppose that wallet panned out?"

"Not a continental copper. The dealer had a barrelful of old wallets to slip into pockets as he came across greenhorns from Buffalo."

"Well, yes, but if I didn't take $160 out of that wallet I'm a sinner! More than that, the clerk of the hotel saw me do it, and I set up the cigars for 20 men. I hope never to breathe again if I'm not speaking the truth."

"How long ago was that?"

"About 15 years."

"And you still have the wallet?"

"I have. There it is, and there's the affidavit I made before a notary as soon as I reached Buffalo."

"Well?"

"Well?"

And then they looked at each other for a long time, and when they turned away each one felt that they might never meet again on earth.—Detroit Free Press.

Spreading Disease.

Various are the ways of spreading disease. Some workmen tore down an old house in New Haven. Soon an epidemic of diphtheria broke out among their families and friends. They had carried the wood home for fire, and thus were spread germs of the disease which had raged in the house the year before. An old feather bed was thrown into an open lot. Children played with it, and three out of five died of scarlet fever, and the disease was almost epidemic in the community for a time. Through ignorance or carelessness that bed had not been properly managed, or it would never have been allowed to leave the disease stricken house except in ashes.—New York Times.

Robert Stephens, an early English printer, was so anxious to have his books free from typographical blunders that, after having the proofs carefully read, he hung them up in public places with a standing reward to any one who could find a mistake.

Irish Surnames.

There is a magnificent sonority in the names of MacGillamohelmoge, MacGuisheman, MacGiraghty, O'Dooyarma, O'Howley, O'Quigley, O'Mulcolhy and O'Mulmoghery. Many of the names are extinct, but a large proportion are still in evidence, and, what is more, in nearly every case the families bearing them are to be found in the same localities formerly inhabited by them—Dohertys in Donegal, Driscolls in Cork, Macdermotts in Connaught, Munghers in Tipperary and O'Sullivans in Cork and Kerry.

It is a notorious fact that many of the families which have come to be regarded as typically Irish are of alien extraction. Thus the Plunketts are of Danish origin; the Burkes, Dillons, Roches, Husseys and all the tribe of Fitz are Anglo-Norman, while the Mitchells are English.—London Spectator.

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Four tables, extending the whole length of the hall at right angles to the principal tables, accommodated the other guests, numbering 800. These included the other officers of the Chicago and the leading lights of the nation.

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When love unites wide space divides in vain,
And hands may clasp across the spreading main.

Other pages contained pictures of Westminster Abbey, Trafalgar square, Greenwich hospital and the disaster to the Trenton and the Calliope at Apia.

When the ladies entered the gallery in evening costume, the brilliancy of the scene was greatly enhanced.

The Speeches.

Lord Hamilton, the chairman, began the speechmaking by offering a toast to the queen and President Cleveland. He said that Queen Victoria and President Cleveland were the heads of the two great English-speaking nationalities of the world, the heads of governments whose authority was exercised over a large portion of the globe.

But it was not merely on that account that he asked them to drink to their health. He gave the toast with the hope that the rare qualities of these two personages might long continue to influence and sway the national policy of the two great countries of which they were the heads.

After giving the usual loyal toasts to the Prince of Wales and his family, and to the royal family generally, Lord Hamilton toasted the United States, saying Englishmen are proud of the progress that the United States has made in the present century, because they believed that the progress was largely due to the racial qualities which those who originally came from Great Britian transmitted to America.

Times Have Changed.

One hundred and ten years ago we parted in anger, after bloodshed; now we have met together as reconciled members of one family. The historic town of Boston yesterday received the British admiral and the officers of his flagship magnificently. He was afraid that the citizens of that great town were engaged 110 years ago in a less congenial operation.

Today it was our privilege to entertain a distinguished American admiral and the officers of his flagship (here there was a great outburst of cheering). One hundred and ten years ago the citizens of London were engaged in a less satisfactory operation of taxing themselves in order to punish the citizens of Boston.

The speaker saw opposite to him the historic words: "Blood is thicker than water." Nobody who had the privilege of being on the other side of the water could come to any other conclusion than that the sentiment was true, because there were between Englishmen and the great mass of the American community an origin and identity of language and similarity of ideas and pursuits which existed between no other two nations on the face of the earth. These great principles would not fail to bind the two nations in bonds of permanent unity. All then rose and drank to the toast amid tremendous applause.

Bayard's Speech.

Ambassador Bayard rose to reply, and was received with prolonged cheering. He said he felt deeply the honor of having been made the envoy to this country and this nation. The gracious reception that he had been given on numerous occasions in this great city and elsewhere in Great Britain made him feel the sincerity and reality of the welcome so expressed. In the name of his country and his countrymen he sincerely thanked them for the banquet.

It was a happy omen that it came upon the birthday of that benign and gracious lady whose devotion to public duty was clear and beautiful. Well might the British subject congratulate himself that he contemplated with affectionate admiration the home life of the true mother of her country, whose domestic virtues so illustrated her long and happy reign. Turning his eyes across the Atlantic, well might the American, of whatever party or race, congratulate himself that the virtues of innocent and guileless childhood, of life, integrity, manhood and womanhood, were clustered around the hearthstone of the President of the United States.

No other tongue spoken now by man contained that word "Home" more than the mother tongue of them all, and it was from home and through home that associations and impressions were formed that made the nation and the people and wrote their true history. He did not feel that this was an ordinary occasion of festivity. Hospitalities and courtesies came as thick and sweet as the blossoms in May, and mutual services were paid in time of need and sympathy and sorrow.

Those, thank God, were exchanged abundantly between the two great branches of the English-speaking people. It was men who went down in deep ships who knew best the sympathies that bound the hearts of the sailors of the two nations. The sea that once divided mankind was now found to be its main means of intercourse.

Praise For American's Navy.

In times past, from no quarter had greater assistance been found than in the naval service of either country, and for the present he would speak of that country which it was his privilege and honor to represent.

If he had read the record of history aright, no man had written clearer and more valuable lessons for the relations of mankind in the use and knowledge of the sea than the officers of the American navy. It was an excellent thing to have a sea power, but it was tyrannous to use that power. Therefore, let the laws of equal force and the laws of morals proceed, and whoever should best exercise sea power in this world let him or them remember that power to be safe must ever be in the harness of the law.

The Other Speakers.

Admiral Hornby then toasted the United States navy. He said that the presence of the American admiral's flag as high up as Gravesend was unprecedented, but they all hoped that it would appear there again.

Admiral Erben, responding to Admiral Hornby's toast, said that never before was such a compliment paid to the American navy. He thanked those present, not only in behalf of the officers and men of the Chicago, but of every man in the American navy.

Lord Roberts then proposed a toast to Captain Mahan and the officers of the Chicago. He said they welcomed the American officers as brothers as well as distinguished guests, and alluded to their community of origin, sentiment and language.

Captain Mahan responded briefly. In conclusion, he toasted the British navy and coupled with it the sentiment that its future career might be as beneficent as its past had been glorious.

Admiral Commerell briefly responded to Captain Mahan's toast, and the proceedings closed with the band playing the "Star Spangled Banner."

A fantasia of American airs was played between the speeches.

When Mr. Bayard rose to speak the organ and band played "Hail, Columbia." Mr. Bayard was unable to speak for some minutes, owing to the tumultuous applause with which he was greeted. Every word of the speech, which was impressively uttered, was listened to with close attention.

A FIGHT WITH DEPUTIES.

Four Strikers Are Dead and an Unknown Number Injured.

UNIONTOWN, Pa., May 25.—The long threatened attack by striking miners on the pits of the Washington Coal and Coke company at Stickle Hollow in the Fourth pool district on the Monongahela river was made yesterday, involving another of the grim tragedies that characterize the irrepressible conflict. The fight was one of the fiercest in the history of the mining troubles in western Pennsylvania. Four strikers are dead and double that number are badly wounded, some of them mortally.

Thomas Kenan is the only American killed in the encounter with the deputies. The other dead men are Slavs. The wounded men who fell under the first volley from the deputies were taken off the field by the retreating strikers, and even now the actual number of wounded is not definitely known. It is, perhaps, too soon to attempt to apportion the responsibility for the killing, as many confused and contradictory statements are made.

The strikers furnished all the dead men; not a deputy was fatally hurt and only three of them wounded. The fight occurred in the public roadway leading to the Stickle Hollow plant. Two thousand strikers came out there to intercept the men on their way to work. Some carried Winchesters, while others were armed with shotguns, muzzle-loading rifles and revolvers.

Because of their threatening demonstrations and the fact that they had given notice to the company that they had come to drive off the deputies if necessary, there were ball cartridges in the Winchesters carried by the guards, and the entire outfit at the works was in general readiness to receive raiders. The deputies had specific orders, and it is admitted that the company ordered them to shoot to kill.

UNSYMPATHETIC AUDIENCE

Listened to Professor Smith in His Address to the Presbyterians.

SARATOGA, May 25.—The flirtation between the northern and southern Presbyterian churches has come to an abrupt close. The offer of organic union has been rejected by the southern body and each will now continue to pursue its separate way.

The Smith trial has begun in the general assembly, and will probably continue until tomorrow noon. The argument of Professor Smith was a great one, but, although pathetic, was addressed to an audience not at all sympathetic. The committee of prosecution occupied the afternoon and evening, arguing at great length and with great earnestness, but the audience was weary and the air bad. The moderator got tired and retired to the basement of the church for rest.

The report made touching the supposed death of Dr. George P. Hays was found to be a mistake. The telegram referred to the death of Dr. Isaac N. Hays of Pittsburg and was signed by Dr. George P. Hays himself.

Whittemore For Governor.

RUTLAND, Vt., May 25.—The Prohibitionists held their convention at Middlebury and nominated the following state ticket: For governor, Rodney C. Whittemore, St. Albans; lieutenant governor, Dr. L. W. Hanson, Barre; treasurer, John F. Leonard, Burlington; secretary of state, Henry R. Mack, Hardwick; auditor, Frank W. Wheeler, Richford; state committee, F. H. Shepard, Fairhaven, chairman; C. W. Wyman, St. Albans; George L. Story, Bakersfield; A. O. Ferguson, Burlington; W. H. Sargent, Royalton. Radical resolutions were adopted.

That Ocean Race.

LONDON, May 25.—The owners of the White Star line declare that their instructions against racing are most explicit. They add that there is no doubt that the captain of the Majestic did his best to avoid racing. The Liverpool manager of the American line said that he had telegraphed to Captain Randle of the Paris for the facts in regard to the reported racing across the Atlantic. Captain Randle replied that he had never deviated one degree from his course.

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Gov. Flower of N. Y. Talks Upon Patriotism.

BELIEVES THAT SIGHT OF FOREIGN FLAGS FLYING

InculcatesTruer Loyalty to the Stars and Stripes.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

ALBANY, N. Y., May 24.—Gov. Flower has vetoed the bill to prevent the display of foreign flags or emblems on public buildings.

In his veto memorandum the Governor says: "It is a questionable sort of patriotism which seeks the enactment of such bills as this.

"America is big and broad and free in its political tolerance, as well as in its territory, and such proposed legislation as this makes it seem small and narrow and clannish.

"Our population is made up of men of all nationalities. The blood of every foreign nation mingles here with that of the Anglo-Saxon race. It is this commingling of races that makes our American blood good and our nation strong and robust.

"Does it make the American of foreign blood any less an American to see the flag of his fatherland floating beneath the stars and stripes on our public buildings? On the contrary, it seems to me that while recalling the associations of his native land such a sight would remind him also of the reasons which induced him to leave that land and would stir within him new devotion to the republic which has given him equal rights and equal opportunities.

"If American patriotism is of such weak stamina that it can be allured by the display of foreign hunting, legislation like this cannot save it from speedy and utter ruin.

"I prefer to think that love for our country is of a deeper and stronger character—a love that is generous and tolerant, but is of unquestioned loyalty in times of real danger.

"The truest patriotism is that which is broad enough to ignore race or creed, and consider only the good of the common country.

"Such legislation as that proposed by this bill finds inspiration only in intolerance—in religion, in radical prejudice—in the false patriotism of narrow minds. It is un-American in spirit, and is opposed to the liberal traditions and progressive aims of the American people. It is based on a sickly sentimentality and should find no support among broad minded and sound bodied Americans.

"Let us not restrict the display of bunting; on gala days let us hoist the flags of all nations; but above all let the stars and stripes float triumphant, and thus, in our display of colors and emblems, we shall symbolize the varied, yet homogeneous, character of our population.

Joseph Healey Confirmed.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

BOSTON, May 24—The executive council today confirmed the governor's nomination of Joseph Healey, as police commissioner of Fall River.

Memorial Day Arrangements.

Inspector Warren of Woburn addressed the members of Post 42 G. A. R., last night, and Commander Hayes announced the arrangement for Memorial Sunday, when Senior Vice Commander Dolan will take charge of the post.

For Memorial day the post will form in four companies, officers as follows: First Co., Capt. I. B. Pendergast; 2d Co., Capt. F. F. Brady; 3d Co., Capt. Wm. Frederick; 4th Co., Capt. Charles Graham.

They will each select a lieutenant. At the conclusion of the parade a collation will be served in the Associate building by the Relief corp.

Post 185 G. A. R.

Commander Liddell's post will attend services at the Worthen Street Baptist Sunday morning.

On the morning of Memorial day delegations will be sent to Tewksbury and Chelmsford. For the parade the post will march in four companies, with the following officers: First Co., Capt. G. L. Cady, Lieut. A. B. French, 2d Co., Capt. G. A. Dickerman; Lieut. J. Q. A. Ferguson; 3d Co., Capt. C. W. Brigham, lieutenant, Arthur Hamblett; 4th Co., Capt. C. F. Emerson, lieutenant G. H. Smith. The color guard is as follows: Color sergeant, J. F. Thorning; banner sergeant, W. A. Kneeland; guards, O. C. Johnson, A. H. Cushman, C. E. Osgood, C. O. Frothingham, W. R. Hodson, W. R. Fowle, Markers, C. E. Andrews, F. E. Parsons.

Post 120 G. A. R.

The members of this post will go to Tyngsboro in the morning where exercises will be held.

Old Comrades Meet.

The Abbott Greys association which is made up of survivors of this company of the Second Regiment of Mass. Volunteers, held its twelfth annual meeting and reunion at the American house last evening. The following members we present:

President, J. W. Cook, Malden; vice presidents, James Francis and Richard Pendergast of this city; Dexter Butterfield, Dunstable; W. M. Lee, Chelmsford; J. W. Gelray, N. D. P. Foster, Boston; Theophilus Pickering, Rochester, N. H.; Mathew Huntley, Lowell; W. T. McAlpine, F. W. Buxton, Lawrence; H. N. Comey, Lynn; J. T. Huntley was also present as an honorary guest. Letters were read from absent members as follows: Silas T. Emery, Hampton, N. H.; E. K. Hayes, Stoneham; John Burns, Holyoke.

The following officers were re-elected: J. W. Cook, president; James Francis, Richard Pendergast, vice-presidents, and W. T. McAlpine, secretary and treasurer.

After supper, and when business had been transacted, the time was passed in pleasant reminiscences.

Mr. Borjes' Testimonial.

The testimonial concert of Prof. E. J. Borjes at the Opera house last evening, was a delightful musical affair with a program which would suit the most critical. The Madrigal society sang at its best, and the sextet from Lucia by Mrs. Jenkins, Mrs. Tenney, T. F. Molloy, G. F. Stortevant, F. R. Rix and Robert Lenham was worth alone the price of admission. The orchestral numbers by the Orchestral club and Symphony orchestra combined were magnificently executed. Each number received superb rendition. The only regret which those present had was that the audience was not larger. It ought to have filled every seat.

Card of Thanks.

To those who planned and assisted in carrying out the testimonial to me at the Opera house, last evening, I extend my sincere thanks.

EMIL J. BORJES.

GRADE CROSSINGS AGAIN.

COMMISSIONERS WILL SIT AT CITY HALL THREE DAYS.

More Evidence of the Dangers Attendant Upon Several Crossings Being Put In by City Solicitor Hogan.

The grade crossing commissioners held their third session in the public hearing room at city hall this morning. Owing to the delay in the arrival of one of the commissioners it was nearly 11 o'clock before the hearing on the Pawtucket grade crossing opened.

Mr. Murphy of the firm of Murphy & Bingham testified to seeing four or five vehicles in the vicinity. Once he was called to remove a sleigh with the runners broken.

Mr. Richardson objected to this on the ground that the witness was not present when the accident happened. He would protest against it being admitted unless there is some connecting link furnished by producing the person who drove the vehicle. It may be supposed that although the vehicle was found broken, it does not follow that it was the result of a dangerous crossing; it may have been that the team was driven by an incompetent person, said Mr. Richardson. Mr. Hogan interposed that he intended to show certain circumstances from which facts might be inferred.

The commissioners decided that the connecting link must be produced in order to have the testimony admissible. Direct testimony should be produced.

Then followed a discussion in which the commission called upon the stenographer to look up a statement, alleged to have been made by Mr. Hogan, saying that he was willing to have any testimony stricken out which was not given by witnesses having personal knowledge thereof.

Witness had in mind another goddard buggy which be found smashed and lying about 10 feet off the crossing, just beside the highway.

Rev. Fr. Burke of St. Patrick's church said he was driving over the tracks one day and while turning out to let a team pass, one of the axles on his buggy was sprung.

Doctor Sherman also testified to having had a team injured by getting it caught on the tracks.

George L. Fowler,

who lives in the vicinity of the grade crossings, told of three accidents he saw occur at the crossing on Pawtucket street.

He never had an accident happen to any of his teams.

Michael J. Maguire, a resident of Varney street, experienced an accident on the crossing. He also saw a wheel taken off a team belonging to Mr. Byfield, a painter, and a runner snapped from a farmer's sleigh. Both of these accidents were caused by the vehicles getting caught in the tracks.

Rodney F. Hemingway told the commissioners that trains pass by the crossing at the rate of thirty miles an hour.

Gilbert Hodges, a civil engineer of 16 years actual practice, 10 of which were spent in the employ of street railway companies and 6 years in the employ of steam railroad companies, said he had engineered the building of 40 or 50 grade crossings and had prepared plans for bridges and other means of going under or over highways.

The location of his work was in many states and territories. Had worked for the B. & L. railroad for 5 years and 3 months. The cost of making the proposed changes in the grade crossings would be about $102,000. He considered the Pawtucket grade crossing dangerous, firstly, on account of the very acute angle at which the railroad crosses the highway, so that teams must try and pass the track at a certain angle in order to avoid the groove in the tracks. In other words, teams coming in either direction endeavor to cross at a right angle with the result that collisions are liable to happen. Secondly, all trains cross at a high rate of speed and there is no station in the immediate vicinity of the crossing. Thirdly, the approaches to the crossing are rather steep, so that horses drawing heavy loads are liable to stop for a rest when they reach tracks; and fourthly, the view of the tracks is obstructed.

Questioned by Mr. Richardson relative to the plan proposed by the railroad people providing for making a crossing at Foster street and cutting through land owned by the Lowell and Suburban Street railway and Mr. Parker, Mr. Hodges replied that he should accept this plan only on condition that it was the only means remaining of getting rid of the grade crossing.

Charles A. Allen of Worcester, a civil engineer, considered the crossing dangerous for the same reasons that Mr. Hodges had given. He considered the estimate of $102,000 given as the cost of making the changes at the Pawtucket crossing according to the plan proposed by the city as a very good one. The plan itself he thought, is proper and feasible and the best one of which he knew. The Pawtucket grade crossing is a peculiar one and there are very few in the state so bad as it.

The first witness for the B. & M. railroad, was Wm. E. Hanson, a checker in the B. & M. freight house, who was commissioned by Mr. Paige to ascertain the number of vehicles and persons passing the crossing. He paid no attention to trains. On April 24, the afternoon stormy, there crossed the tracks, 117 carriages; 104 teams; 100 persons on foot; and 405 persons in all. On April 25, a fine day, there passed over the crossing, 152 carriages; 93 teams; 148 pedestrians and 501 persons altogether.

Charles E. Paige.

Agent Paige of the B. & M. road, testified that regularly there are thirty passenger trains and nineteen freight trains, excluding shifters. On an average the shifters cross by Pawtucket street, eight times each day.

On being questioned by Mr. Hogan, Mr. Paige admitted that in summer there are two more trains running north, than in the fall or winter.

After further questioning, Mr. Paige also said that outside of these two trains, the road had also discontinued the 12 o'clock train out of Boston.

The hearing then adjourned till tomorrow at 10 o'clock.

ANOTHER MINE HORROR.

Engine Which Drove the Ventilating Fan Broke Down.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

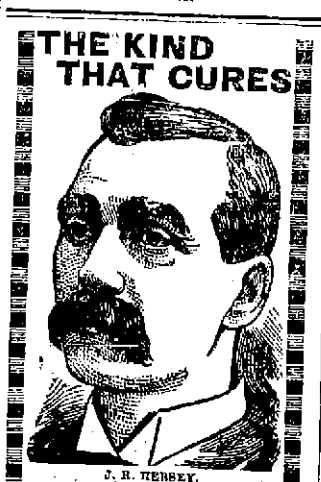
WILKESBARRE, Pa., May 24.—The engine at No. 5 mine of the Wilkesbarre coal company broke down this morning. It disabled the fan which supplied air to the mine. Messages were sent by telephone to the miners but it is feared many will not escape alive.

The Memorial Committee.

The joint special committee appointed by the city council to prepare a suitable memorial on the death of the late Councilman Benson of Ward Six, will meet at 7.30 o'clock tomorrow evening.

The committee consists of Mayor Pickman, Aldermen Westall and C. R. Johnson, President Sparks, Councilmen Rourke, Ryan, Sanborn and Hills.

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For Haverhill, 6.30, 9.20 a. m.; 12.15, 2.40, 3.25, 5.10, 6.15, 6.55, p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m., 12.05, 5.35, 7.30 p. m.

For Salem and Lynn, 12.15, 5.10 p. m.

For Newburyport, 12.15, 2.40, 3.25, 6.15 p. m.

For Exeter, and Dover, 8.30 a. m.; 12.15, 3.25, 6.10, p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.35 p. m

For Rochester and Alton Bay, 8.30 a. m.; 12.15, 3.25 p. m.

For Somersworth, N. H., Salmon Falls Saco and Portland 8.30 a.m.; 12.15, 3.25, 6.10, p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.35.

For Augusta, Bath, Lewiston, 8.30 a. m.; 12.15, 3.25, 5.00 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.35 p. m.

For Bangor, Belfast, Waterville, Skowhegan, Rockland, 8.30 a. m., 12.15, 5.10 p.m. SUNDAYS, 5.35 p. m.

For St. John N. B., Montreal, Quebec, 8.30 a. m., 5.10 p. m. (5.10 does not run Saturdays); SUNDAY, 5.35 p. m.

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Trains leave Merrimack Street Depot, Lowell.

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For Woburn, 6.50, 7.01, 7.35, *7.45, 11.00 a.m.; 1.35, 4.30, *5.33, p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.45 a. m. 4.25, 6.03, p.m.

*Express. †Northern Depot only. ‡Via Redford.

For Lawrence — 6.30, 10.00, 11.00 a. m. 1.25, 2.10, 4.45, 5.50 p. m. SUNDAYS 9.15 a. m., 7.15 p. m.

For Salem and Way Stations—7.38 a. m.; 1.35, 5.50 p. m. Via South Lawrence 6.30 a. m.

☞Time below is from Northern depot.

For Ayer Junction and Way Stations—7.15 a. m.; 12.00, 5.10 and 5.49 p. m. SUNDAYS 2.15 p. m.

For Amherst, Milford and Wilton—9.14 a. m.; 12.57, 5.43, 5.52 p. m. SUNDAYS 2 p. m.

For Greenfield, Peterboro', Bennington, Hillsboro' and Keene—9.14 a. m. and 5.43 p. m.

For Nashua, Manchester and Concord 7.43, 9.14, 9.45, 12.11 a.m.; 12.57, 1.47, 5.43, (5.01 Nashua only), 6.42, 6.22, 8.13, 8.43 p.m. SUNDAYS 10.00, a. m. to Nashua only), 2.20, 6.00 8.13, 8.43 p. m.

For Penacook, Franklin, Lebanon and White River Junction—9.14, 9.45, 12.11, a. m.; 1.47, (5.42 Franklin only), 10.13 p. m.

For Warner, Bradford, Sunapee, Newport, (N. H.), Claremont and Claremont Junction—9.45 a.m.; 1.47 p. m.

For St. Johnsbury and Lyndonville via Wells River—9.45 a.m.; 1.47 and 10.43.

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TO LET—At Middlesex Village a tenement of six rooms and barn with large yard. G. D. Kimball, 9 Runels building, cor. Merr'k and Bridge streets.

WANTED—Salesmen; salary from start; permanent place. Brown Bros., Nurserymen, Rochester, N. Y.

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OF 2 TO 4 ROOMS, at 70 Chestnut Street.

FOR SALE—In Belvidere, cottage house of 7 rooms, large lot of land. This is a bargain. Price $1400. G. L. Hubbard, 17 Merrimack street.

NOW IS THE TIME to get your spring clothing cleansed at the Merrimack Steam Dyeing and Cleansing House. Ladies' and gents' clothing dyed, cleansed and repaired. All orders neatly and promptly done. Orders called for and delivered free of charge. 477 Merrimack street, F. P. Lew, proprietor.

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FOR SALE—A fruit, confectionery, tobacco and cigar store on one of the principal business streets in this city. Excellent location for business. Price, $525. Fish & Plummer, 137 Central street.

FURNISHED AND UNFURNISHED—Rooms to let at 46 Bridge street.

FOR SALE.—A 4-tenement block. Store in one, rents for $28 per month, built but a few years, 2740 feet of land, near center of the city and one of the best pieces of property on our list for investment, price $2500. Fish & Plummer, 137 Central street.

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FOR SALE.—A factory 2-tenement house, few steps from Hamilton and Appleton corporations, will rent for $25 per month, a rare opportunity for investment, price $2500. Fish & Plummer, 137 Central street.

FOR SALE—A nice cottage house of 7 rooms and shed all in best of condition, gas, cemented cellar, sewer connections, concrete walks, good lot of land room for stable, situated in one of the best locations in the Highlands. Few steps from Coral street—Price $1950. Fish & Plummer, 137 Central street.

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FOR SALE—At Middlesex Village, a neat cottage of 7 rooms in good repair, city water, cemented cellar, fine location, 4260 square feet of land, well fenced. Price $1000. Fish & Plummer, 137 Central street.

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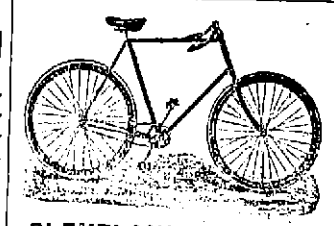
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SUN WEATHER BULLETIN.

ALMANAC FOR FRIDAY, MAY 25.

SUN RISES..... 4 14 | MOON RISES...12 61 AM
SUN SETS..... 7 09 | HIGH SEA (... 3 45 AM
LENGTH OF DAY..14 55 | (... 3 30 PM

Forecast for Maine: Showers; increasing northeast winds.

For New Hampshire and Vermont: Showers; north winds.

For Massachusetts: Showers; high northeast winds.

For Rhode Island and Connecticut: Showers; winds shifting to west.

Fooling the People.

You can fool some of the people all the time; you can fool all the people some of the time; but you can't fool all the people all the time by getting out a second-hand newspaper. Compare THE SUN with other local papers.

LOCAL NEWS.

Smoke Tower's *Corner Cigar.*

Sunday will be Memorial Sunday.

James R. Green and wife of Lowell were registered at the Crawford house, Boston, yesterday.

There will be an athletic meeting and bicycle racing at the First street oval on Saturday, June 9th.

The Odd Ladies met last evening and made arrangements for holding a strawberry festival at an early date.

Washington Commandery, Golden Cross, admitted one new member, last evening, and arranged for a festival to be held June 14.

The trustees of the Edson cemetery, last evening discussed the seizure of the Donovan and Gannon land for cemetery purposes.

Mr. F. H. Butler of this city attended the banquet of the graduating class of the College of Pharmacy in Boston last evening.

There will be a special meeting of the Emerald associates this (Friday) evening at 7.30 to take action on the death of Bro. David Murphy.

The band concert by Post 42 under the auspices of the merchants in the vicinity of city hall, which was postponed last week will be given this evening, weather permitting, on city hall lot opposite the Merrimack Clothing Co.'s store.

Wamesit lodge, M. U. O. F., held a ball in Manchester Unity hall last evening, and an enjoyable evening was passed. The officers were: Floor director, W. Walsh, N. G., aids, Joseph Bottomley, Robert Gourley, J. McDougal, W. Blake and W. Mack.

The marriage of Mr. Alton B. Bryant and Miss Helen C. Hanchett occurred yesterday afternoon at the parsonage of the First Congregational church, Billerica. The ceremony was performed by Rev. D. W. Hardy. The happy couple will reside in Dracut.

The anniversary of Bay State colony, Pilgrim Father was observed by a supper and a dance at Bay State hall, last evening. Owing to the stormy weather, the attendance was not as large as was expected. Supper was served in the banquet hall, and there was dancing afterwards.

President L. W. Weeks of the Cigarmaker's union will start next week on a trip through eastern Massachusetts. New Hampshire and Maine, and will deliver addresses in the different cities of these states on the practical advantages to be gained by encouraging and demanding the blue label on all cigars.

Eight teams are entered in the duck pin bowling tournament at the Lowell Reform club. The game attracts a large number of the members each evening. The contests are very exciting, and the greatest enthusiasm prevails. The record so far, for this week, is held by Williams, who scored 145 pins.

A year book is to be published at the First Congregational church, by the pastor, similar to those issued by other churches. In the book will be the names of members, and a directory of church attendants. It will also give interesting facts about the church and its departments. The year book will be for distribution among the members.

Ladies' Suits and Garments.

George F. Stiles, deputy sheriff and messenger, will sell by private sale, by order of the court of insolvency, all the stock in the store occupied by the Beaver Cloak company, in Hildreth building, consisting of ladies' cloaks, capes, suits, &c., at less than cost. Sale opens today.

Among the Bicyclists.

Bloomers on women cyclists may be seen any fine day in the vicinity of Franklin park, Boston. The garb has not yet blossomed in Lowell.

Lanterns are beginning to appear after dark. The riders are simply preparing for the new law and its enforcement.

William F. Courtney has not yet mastered the "bike" but his partner D. J. Donohoe is ready to try a run to Boston.

The Governor's Reception.

The American orchestra, E. J. Borjes, director, will render the following program at the reception to Gov. Greenhalge in Huntington hall, next Monday evening:

"The Star Spangled Banner".....Key
March, "Gov. Greenhalge".....A. Mirault
Composed and respectfully dedicated to His Excellency, Gov. Greenhalge.
Overture, "Der Freischutz".....Von Weber
(a—"Manzanille," Danza Mexicana.....Robyn
(b—"La Troika," Russian dance.....Brahm
Cornet solo, "War Memories".....Levy
R. McDaniel.
Selection from De Koven's comic opera,
"The Fencing Master".....Arr. Wiegand
Xylophone solo, "Southern Melodies".....Stobbe
H. Dufresne.
Finale, "Before the Footlights".....Bendix

Under a Foreign Name.

A delightful "Kaffer Kratsch" or in English, coffee party, was held in the Elliot church last evening under the auspices of the Young People's society of the Christian Endeavor. The party was largely attended considering the condition of the weather. The church vestry was prettily decorated with evergreens, and the tables were neatly arranged about the room. The Lyceum orchestra discoursed sweet strains during the evening. An entertainment consisting of readings by Miss Bessie Adams and solos by Mr. Fred Lee and Mrs. Burns was enjoyed. The kitchen was in charge of Miss Mary Miller and Miss Sadie Stanton had general charge of the supper.

Another Driven Well Plant.

A meeting of the water board was held last evening, for the purpose of opening bids for 500 tons of coal, but owing to the unsettled condition of the coal market the opening was deferred.

The question of the driven well supply was talked over, and Mr. Fels spoke of the uneasiness that is manifested by the people of Centralville, because they are not receiving pure water, and he advised driving a few test wells in the vicinity of Lakeview avenue; near the Dracut line.

Mr. Cook, who was consulted, believed that a good supply could be found there. Enough wells will be sunk to test the matter thoroughly, and if the conditions are promising, it is not impossible that we may have two driven well plants in operation before the snow flies.

Dr. Colburn DENTIST 61 MERRIMACK ST.

Next time try Old Hundred.

T. C. Lee, Fire Insurance, Donovan Bl'dg.

Wall paper at 18 Church street.

People who were thinking of the beach and mountains a month ago are changing their minds.

E. B. Carlton is confined to his home on Belmont street from injuries received by a fall down stairs.

Patten & Co. have the finest potted plants and cut flowers in the city. Shedd's block, Central street.

The contract for grading and curbing city hall lot has been signed and work will be commenced at once.

Several members of the Knights of Columbus attended a big meeting of the order in Lynn last night.

Call at J. J. Gaynor & Co.'s, 35 Prescott street, and get prices on refrigerators and ice chests. Low prices this week.

The voters of Ward Six are to meet tonight at the ward room on High street to take action on the death of Councilman Benson.

The Merrimack Woolen mills, by Agent Fels, is in receipt of an official copy of the award of the World's Fair for the display of shawls.

A true, life like photo is something everybody admires. Marion makes that kind. Visit his studio in Barrister's hall and have a setting made.

Miss Leila McIntyre, who sang at Miss Noyes' recital Wednesday evening, has presented to many of the young people who recently participated in the Cadets' klirmess, photographs of herself as remembrances.

The "great military men" of the high school battalion will have a busy week beginning Sunday, when they march to the memorial services in Huntington hall; drill on Monday; go to Reading on Tuesday; march in the parade on Wednesday.

A prominent out-of-town lawyer who was waiting in the Northern depot, Wednesday, for a Boston train, after attending court, remarked to a SUN man that "the new depot would make a good ornament for a country village. Why don't they have a few more rooms scattered around?"

High School Drill Postponed.

Owing to the threatening weather the drill of the High school battalion which was to have occurred at the Dracut oval, this afternoon has been postponed until Monday.

Concert for the People.

Prof. A. Mirault has volunteered to give a concert by his band of 20 pieces to the people of Lowell on the South common next Monday evening from 7.30 to 9 when the following program will be rendered:

Gov. Greenhalge's march.....A. Mirault
Columbia, Gavotte.....L. Frederic
Grand American Fantasia
Cornet solo.....N. Demarais, O. Casey
Poet and Peasant, overture.....Von Suppe
Love's Golden Dream, waltz.....T. Bonheur
Bridal Rose, overture.....C. Lavallee
Rosy Cheeks, schottische.....L. P. Laurendeau
Adeste Fideles, hymn.....Arr C. Bover
Boston Commandery, march.....T. M. Carter

MERRITT RELEASED.

The Boston Club Was Carrying Too Many Catchers, It Is Said.

BOSTON, May 25—Catcher Billy Merritt was yesterday released by the Boston club. President Soden said that the club was carrying too many catchers, and decided to release Merritt because he was dissatisfied. The game with the Washingtons scheduled for yesterday was postponed because of the rain.

At Cleveland:

Pittsburg	1	0	0	0	1	0	2	2	—	6
Cleveland	4	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	— 5

Base hits—Pittsburg, 9; Cleveland, 8. Errors—Pittsburg, 4; Cleveland, 4. Batteries—Killen, Ehret and Mack; Young and O'Connor.

At Chicago:

Chicago	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	— 3
St. Louis	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1

Base hits—Chicago, 7; St. Louis, 8. Errors—Chicago, 0; St. Louis, 1. Batteries—Hutchison and Kittredge; Breitenstein and Peltz.

At Louisville:

Louisville	0	0	0	4	0	2	0	0	0	— 6
Cincinnati	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	— 0

Base hits—Louisville, 10, Cincinnati, 6. Errors—Louisville, 1; Cincinnati, 2. Batteries—Menefee and Grim; Parrott and Vaughn.

At Bangor—Worcester, 8; Bangor, 7.

At Lewiston—Lewiston 10; Brockton, 2.

Seeking Foreclosure For Northern Pacific.

CHICAGO, May 25.—The Farmers' Loan and Trust company of New York, the holder of the $30,000,000 mortgage on the property of the Northern Pacific railroad, filed an amended and supplemental bill for foreclosure in the United States circuit court yesterday. The bill was filed under an order issued by Judge Jenkins at Milwaukee, and under the same order the defendants are directed to plead answer or demur.

Tay Pay's Opinion.

LONDON, May 25.—T. P. O'Connor, M. P., says that last night's division in the house of commons on the budget is looked upon as being an extremely critical moment for the government. The Conservatives, he adds, anticipate that the government will be defeated or that they will pass the budget by a small majority.

Fur Thieves to Be Extradited.

LONDON, May 25.—The extradition of Adolph and Montague Bernard, who were arrested here April 24, on the complaint of Isaac Levy, a fur dealer of New York city, who charged them with the embezzlement of furs, checks and money, to the extent of $30,000, was granted yesterday.

A Left-Handed Honor.

LONDON, May 25.—In the senate of Cambridge university the proposal to confer an honorary degree upon the Duke of York, son of the Prince of Wales, was challenged, but on the motion being put to a vote it was carried by 137 to 6.

An Unknown Wreck.

MANITOWOC, Wis., May 25.—The captain of the tug J. P. Clark reports having discovered the topmast of a vessel sticking out of the water between Sheboygan and Manitowoc, three miles from land. Nothing is known of the ill-fated craft.

Queen Victoria's Birthday.

LONDON, May 25.—The birthday of Queen Victoria (she was born May 24, 1819) was observed throughout England, although the official celebration of the event will not take place until tomorrow, according to custom.

Breckinridge Is Busy.

WASHINGTON, May 25.—Representative Breckinridge left today for another round of speeches in his district. He spent yesterday in court working on the bill of exceptions in the appeal from the decision in the Pollard suit.

Keeping an Eye on England.

PARIS, May 25.—M. DeLoncle is to introduce into the chamber of deputies the question of the British treaties with China, Italy and Belgium, alleging that they are a violation of French rights and existing treaties.

Wants to Wind Up.

LONDON, May 25.—A petition has been filed in the chancery division of the high court of justice asking for the winding up of Dalziel's Atlantic Telegram company.

For a Gold Standard.

BERLIN, May 25.—At a meeting at Friedrichroda of the German Banking association, a resolution in favor of a gold standard was unanimously adopted.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

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BAY STATE LEGISLATURE.

FOREIGN CONTROL OF HOME COMPANIES DISCUSSED.

The American Bell Telephone Company Not Included in the Stock at Auction Bill —Other Stock Companies.

BOSTON, May 25.—In the senate the bill to incorporate the New England and New York Rail... ...pany was engrossed.

The report of the committee on water supply against authorizing Gloucester to construct a system of water supply was accepted.

The bill to prevent foreign corporations from issuing stock or other securities upon the property, franchise or stock of street railway, gas or electric corporations was given a third reading, 20 to 8.

Amendments to the house bill to regulate the use of bicycles and similar vehicles were proposed, chief of which was one to substitute "suitable alarm bell" for "continuously sounding automatic bicycle alarm," which was adopted, as were a few perfecting amendments. The bill was then put over until Monday.

Mr. Miller moved to reconsider the engrossment of the bill as to licenses to saloons within 400 feet of schools, and it was done. He then moved to strike out the provision allowing hotels with more than 25 rooms within this limit. The senate adopted the amendment striking out the exemption of first-class hotels and then engrossed it.

The senate amendments to the license commission bill, that the commissioners shall hold no other office and may be removed after a hearing, were concurred in.

The senate amendments to the state fire marshal bill were concurred in. They fix the salary at $4500 and continue the office of the Boston fire marshal 99 days.

Reconsideration prevailed on the vote whereby the house rejected the bill authorizing the inspector of industries at the state prison to assume control of the penitentiary in the absence of the warden and the deputy warden. Rejection of the bill was then negatived.

The house refused, by a vote of 73 to 103, to include in the stock-at-auction bill a clause including the American Bell Telephone company, and passed the bill to be engrossed.

Senate amendments to the bill relative to the issue of stock and bonds by gas and electric light companies were concurred in.

TROOPS ORDERED OUT.

Mob of Foreigners Attacked a Sheriff's Posse at La Salle, Ills.

LA SALLE, Ills., May 25.—A mob of 1600 coal strikers, none of them English-speaking, raided the shaft of the La Salle County Carbon Coal company here last evening, and in a conflict with the sheriff and his deputies five strikers, Sheriff Taylor and two deputy sheriffs were painfully wounded. The mob closed in on the officers and a hand-to-hand fight ensued. Three men were arrested, but one of them was released on the men threatening to tear down the jail and burn the city hall.

SPRINGFIELD, Ills., May 25.—Governor Altgeld this morning telegraphed for five companies of the Fourth Infantry to report at Centralia, and four companies of the Seventh to report at La Salle at once.

A Government Victory.

LONDON, May 25.—Sir John Lubbock, in the house of commons, moved the budget committee be empowered to divide the budget bill into two parts and to embody the provisions respecting the sinking fund in a different measure. The motion was rejected—181 to 121. The announcement of the government's victory was greeted with prolonged Liberal cheers. The debate was expected, in some quarters, to prove the downfall of the Rosebery ministry.

A Timely Discovery.

LONDON, May 25.—The police in Brussels have discovered a large quantity of dynamite cartridges, bombs and explosive materials hidden in a sugar refinery in Hornu. It is believed to be the secret store from which the anarchists concerned in the recent bomb explosions in Belgium procured their supplies.

Rights of Cyclists.

PORTLAND, Me., May 25.—Walter Rumery was brought up in the police court, at the instigation of the League of American Wheelmen, charged with running down Alfred Walker. The prisoner was remanded until tomorrow. This case will decide what right the cyclists have on public highways.

Attempt at Train Wrecking.

NORTH ANSON, Me., May 25.—An attempt was made to wreck a passenger train near this place. An iron rail was placed across the track. The engineer saw it in time to slow up, but not until the locomotive struck the iron. The train was thrown from the rails, but no damage was done.

A Self-Confessed Robber.

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., May 25.—Daniel J. Cate confessed to having stolen diamonds and rubies valued at $20,000 from the trunk of H. C. Barnum, and was sentenced to four years' hard labor in the state's prison. Henry McCann was discharged for lack of evidence to convict him.

Dean of Radcliffe.

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., May 25.—It is announced in Philadelphia that Miss Agnes Irwin is to become dean of Radcliffe college. She does not authorize the announcement of her acceptance, but her friends say there is no doubt but that she will accept.

Weybosset Mills on the Market.

PROVIDENCE, May 25.—Arrangements are being made for the sale of Taft & Weeden's Weybosset mills, Olneyville. Since the strike few operatives have been employed, but capitalists are anxious to take the property and continue work.

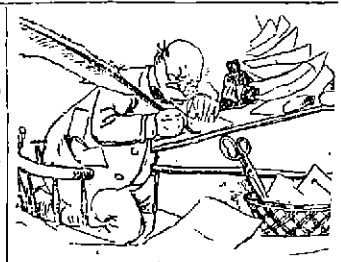
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formerly of Fifth avenue, New York, successor to Eberhardt, tailor, 53 Central street, has received the latest novelties in foreign and domestic suitings, coatings, and trimmings, for spring wear.

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THE SUN HAS HEARD.

That there is great rivalry between electric car men on the Lakeview avenue line and the driver of the police patrol, to see who can make the most trips on Saturday night.

That the police patrol is ahead at present.

That a lady in the Highlands has never seen the police patrol.

That she is very anxious to see it.

That she does not live in the neighborhood where police signal boxes are located.

That the newly made wine merchants are feeling very tired.

That there was a wooden model of Capt. Meigs' engine upon Fletcher street until a few months ago.

CHANGES NEEDED.

How the Revision of the Ordinances Will Affect the School Board.

Relative to the revision contemplated in the city ordinances, probably there will be less changes made in that part referring to the schools than any other chapter of equal importance.

The committee appointed to revise the ordinances will be requested to make a change in that section providing for the election of a superintendent of schools, so that said election may take place annually in *June, instead of July or August, as now* required.

This would obviate the necessity of a meeting of the school board in July or August, and will otherwise expedite matters.

Another change rendered necessary by the erection of the new county truant school is in that section relating to the care of truants. The change recommended *is, that the clause stating that truants* shall be sent to a house of instruction or reformation in said city, shall be changed so as to have truants sent to the county truant school.

Another section that must necessarily be changed owing to the erection of the new truant school, is that concerning a suitable place of confinement for truants. The revised section will state that "the new *county truant school is hereby assigned*, as provided, as a place of confinement and discipline of truants."

LABOR NEWS.

A meeting was held last evening to organize the employes of the Middlesex company's mills.

Wednesday the organizing committee of the C. L. U. distributed circulars to the employes of the mill, announcing that a meeting would be held in Jackson hall last evening, for the purpose of banding the operatives into a union. At the appointed time, comparatively few people had assembled in the hall.

Chairman Buckley called to order and stated it was desirable to have a large attendance before talking on the subject of organization. He thought that the storm interfered with the attendance.

Secretary Weeks said that it looked to him as though there is no lack of desire on the part of the employes to organize. He hoped that all present would induce the other operatives to attend a meeting next Thursday evening.

The meeting can be a secret one and the operatives can go ahead with their organization without any show. The committee does not intend to organize the employes for the purpose of having them strike or demand a higher scale of wages.

Transfer of Truants.

It has not been determined as yet how the transfer of truants will be made from the institution at city farm to the new truant school. Supt. Whitcomb says that in his opinion this matter rests entirely in the hands of the judge of the police court.

It is stated, however, that all truants now at the reform school will be transferred to the new truant school, as soon as the latter is opened. None but truants and probably stubborn children will be received at the new school, as it is not considered proper to allow truants to mingle with persons sentenced for petty breaches of the law, as is now the case at the city institution. The opinion has been freely expressed, that such companionship instead of reforming a truant has had a tendency to lead them into the first steps in crime.

Good Templars' Entertainment.

The lady members of Scotia lodge, I. O. G. T., entertained the gentlemen members and friends at Caledonian hall, last evening. The attendance was very large, the hall being crowded during the whole evening. The entertainment program included bagpipe selections by Andrew Scott; recitation, Miss Alice Young; vocal solos by Agnes McKinley, Agnes Brown, and Winnie Vosburg; selections by the Chelmsford street quartet; duet, *Guy Frazer and Agnes Brown*; readings, Katie Young and Maud McRae; harmonica solo, Fred Aubrey; bagpipe selection, Mr. Frazer. After the entertainment ice cream and cake were served, and games enjoyed.

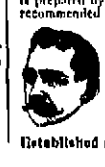
Praise for Merritt.

In commenting on the release of Billy Merritt from the Bostons, the Herald says that he had been singularly unfortunate in injuring his thumb. He will have little difficulty in signing elsewhere and for more money than he received in Boston.

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Ladies' fine tailor-made Prince Albert Suits, of fine Storm Serge, coat lined throughout with satin, also in cloth, would cost you $20 to have made.

$9.50
Ladies' fine tailor-made Cutaway Suits, in either Serge or Covert Cloth, trimmed with braid, one of the latest designs, would cost you $15 to have made.

$6.50
Ladies' fine tailor-made Tuxedo Suits, of All-Wool Storm Serge, coat half lined with satin, a great bargain, as you could not buy the material for the price.

$3.75
Ladies' tailor-made suits of blue or black Serge, tight-fitting, would cost you $6 elsewhere.

An immense assortment of Ladies' Duck, Grass Linen, Percale and Drill Suits, with Vests to match, at $1.50, $1.98, $2.50, $3.50, $4.50, $5, and $6.50, the most complete stock of these goods ever shown in Lowell.

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For a choice of Men's well, fine and stylish made Sack Suits, made of strictly all wool cheviots, cloth manufactured by the Assabet woolen mills, sizes to fit any man. Value $10.

$10.

For choice from several lines of Men's single and double breasted Sack and Dovetail Cutaway Frock Suits, made of fine worsted, cassimeres and cheviots, made to sell for $15 and $18; now only $10.

$15.

For men, six superb Spring dress Suits, made of such material as imported Clay worsteds, unfinished worsted and fine Scotch cheviots; made in latest cut London sack and regent cutaway frock. Spring styles, worth fully $25.

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BOYS' SUITS at 75c., $1, $1.25, $1.50, $2, $2.50, $3.00, $3.50, $4.00, $5.00; the Knockabout and other exclusive styles.

MEN'S SUITS—$3, $4, $5, $6, $7, $8, $9, $10, $12, $14, $15, $18, $20.

Stylish COATS and VESTS of Clay Worsted at $8, $10, $12, $15, $18.

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For Preservation of Food Use Eddy Refrigerators, Best in the World. | Fancy Silk Waists, worth from $5 to $8, only $2.98 each. On sale today.

MEN - WANTED.

Call Today or Tomorrow

At our Furnishing Goods Department and avail yourselves of the opportunity of saving money by buying from the newest, choicest and most varied stock of furnishings in Lowell. Admiration is quite a matter, of course, when our stylish furnishings are under inspection. THEY ARE UP TO DATE IN EVERY PARTICULAR and combine all the qualities that enter into thoroughly stylish dressing. Why not take advantage of the unusually low prices that are now being made. We live in hopes that the future will reward us for our present loss and the help we are extending to people to dress stylish at next to nothing.

Men's Shirts.

75 dozen Men's Laundered Fancy Shirts, only 50c. each. These goods are positively sold in Lowell today at 75c.
1 lot of Fancy Bosom Shirts, in blue, pink and lavender, a regular $1.50 article, only 75c. each.
40 dozen Fancy Shirts (laundered), collar and cuffs attached, sold everywhere at $1.25, our special price Friday and Saturday 79c. each.
1000 Printed and Woven Cheviot Shirts, 36 inches long, made with sloping shoulders, banded collars, deep yoke, nothing like them anywhere less than 75c., our price 49c. each.

Tremendous Hosiery Bargain.

200 dozen Seamless Half Hose, regular price 17c. a pair, our price for Friday and Saturday 3 pairs for 25c.

Collars and Cuffs.

200 dozen 4-ply Linen Collars, new shapes, regular price 17c. a pair, our price for 2 days only, 11c. each.
100 dozen pairs of Cuffs, made from same quality linen, square or round corners, only 19c. a pair.

Night Robes, Neckwear, Suspenders.

One lot of Night Shirts, made to sell at 75c., our price for Friday and Saturday 49c. each.
One lot of Neckwear in new shapes and colors, sold everywhere at 50c., our price 25c. each.
1000 pairs of Suspenders, regular price 25c., down to 12 1-2c. a pair.

A Few Words With the Ladies.

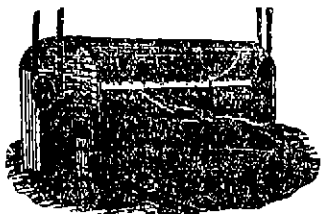
Today we make an offering of great interest in Summer Gloves, Parasols, Hosiery, Underwear. The magnitude of the offering, the novelty and beauty of the styles, the astonishing variety, the matchless cheapness, should intensify people to give this occasion prompt attention.

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☞ THE SUN is the only paper in Lowell receiving The Associated Press, cable and telegraphic despatches. Most of the news items in this issue can be found in the other local papers tomorrow, if you are willing to wait till then.

NORMAL SCHOOL

Lowell Won the Battle With Lawrence.

SCHOOLS GO TO FITCHBURG, NO. ADAMS AND CAPE.

Vote Stood 123 to 46 in Lowell's Favor.

Lowell has won the normal school.

The vote was taken at 12.30 today and the bill providing for schools at Lowell, Fitchburg, North Adams and the cape was passed.

Lawrence was beaten 123 to 46.

It's a great victory for the Lowell representatives.

LOCAL NOTES.

Great bargains in shoes at Boulger & McOsker's. See their windows.

Children's russet spring heel, sizes 5 to 8 only 89c at Boulger & McOsker's.

Best place in Lowell for poor people to buy shoes is at Boulger & McOsker's.

The graduating exercises at St. Michael's school will occur Thursday, June 21st.

Have you seen the shoes they are selling for 99 cents and $1.23 at Boulger & McOsker's?

The trolley wires on the Chelmsford Center branch of the street railway are in position.

Boy's shoes, sizes 11 to 2 only 75 cents; sizes 3 to 5½, 95 cents at Boulger & McOsker's.

Work has been commenced on the grading and laying out of city hall lot. Contractor O'Hearn intends to rush the work.

Misses Annie and Maggie Daly and Margaret Kelly are going to sail for Ireland Saturday morning. They will visit friends in London and Edinburgh on their way home.

O'Donnell & Gilbride want the men to call today and tomorrow and buy from the gents' furnishing goods department where goods are the latest and most seasonable. See advertisement.

The Criterion has a special bargain sale today and tomorrow of shirt waists, silk waists and percale suits; 50c. shirt waists for 24c., suits worth $3.50 for $1.87 and silk waists worth $6 for $3.50 are a rarity.

DEATHS.

Agnes Scannell, aged 1 year, child of Bartholomew and Mary A. Scannell, died Wednesday night at their home, 535 Westford street.

Patrick McSorley, aged 64 years, died yesterday at his home, 24 Cedar street.

Mr. David Murphy, formerly in the employ of the Lowell Gas company, died at his home, 118 Adams street, yesterday afternoon. He is survived by a father, mother, brother and five sisters. Deceased was a member of the Emerald association and of the Wolftone guards.

McManmon, florist, Prescott & Merr'k sts.

Records Were Broken.

The 999th and the Glendons were the contestants in the duck-pin game at Les Miserables alleys last evening. The former team broke two records by making a team string of 496, and a three string total of 1428. Dan. Donahue was right in the game, gained a lap on John B. Swift by beating his single string record by one pin. Dan scored 112 last evening. The team play of the 999th was very even. McLaughlin bowled his first game in the tournament and made a good score. The score follows:

999th—H. Farrell 270, D. Donahue 301, Savage 284, McLaughlin 283, Brown 280; total 1428.

Glendons—Wilson 282, Seede 249, Peters 240, Dooley 284, Daigneault 250; total 1202.

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THEY'LL ACCEPT

Politicians Who Are Sawing Timber for Office.

LICENSE COMMISSION BERTHS ARE IN VIEW.

Mayor Pickman Will Have a Host of New Friends.

At the state house today, a bill which was originally intended to take the license question out of politics by the appointment of a license commission, went to Gov. Greenhalge for his signature or rejection.

After spending much time on the matter, the law makers finally decided upon how it should appear when a law.

Amendment after amendment was made and we find that the bill as finally changed leaves the matter of appointing commissioners in the hands of the mayor.

But is the license evil remedied by the appointment of commissioners by the mayor?

It may be to some extent, yet the liquor traffic cannot be said to have been entirely removed from politics, for the mayor's appointees will be under obligations to the mayor, and he will, if he chooses, reward his constituents with licenses through the men he appoints.

There will be no crooked aldermanic fighting with the commission, thank goodness, for the aldermen will cut no figure whatever, with the men who grant the licenses.

The candidates are of course very numerous; they are for any public office where there is prestige, if but little cold cash. In the matter of appointments the public is desirous that none but the best qualified will be appointed by the mayor. He has shown himself to have been very anxious about the local licenses and very careful that only respectable and well appointed places should get licenses. He even went around with the license committee for that committee being composed of aldermen was liable to be less critical in its inspections than he would be and besides being aldermen they might inspect the name and "pull" of the applicant rather than his victualling facilities. He went around and saw the places and afterwards besides making two or three little speeches signed all the licenses granted by the aldermen. In their recommendation, they made no mistakes, all of the 77 had proper victualling facilities, even those where a stove without a pipe, two chairs, a table and a broken plate constituted the "facilities."

Who are the candidates?

It is thought that Willis P. Burbank might be coaxed to take an appointment. He's a good republican and at present is among the unemployed. He has, it is said, congressional aspirations. So has the mayor, according to report. If a license commissioner Burbank would not aspire for congress for awhile, not an aspirant for the nomination, the mayor's chances would be better and therefore Burbank would make a good license commissioner. But, Mr. Burbank isn't doing a great amount of talking, while, it is said, the buzz of a saw is often heard in his back yard.

A. G. Thompson is a man prominent in republican circles, and had the governor the power to appoint, it is probable Mr. Thompson would be a commissioner.

Hon. C. D. Palmer has been mentioned as a candidate for one of the offices, but it is hardly probable that he would accept an appointment.

Whenever a public office is looking for a man to fill it, and there is the least chance for a republican to jump into it, up bobs serenely Col. Al. Pindar, the star of republican office seekers. The colonel would make a first class commissioner if experience with people who drink liquor counts for anything. He has had charge of the city farm to which drunks are sent, and upon retiring from the service at that place, he opened a place in Middlesex Village where drunks were sent to be cured of their appetites for liquor. Now, he is mentioned as a man who would know to whom to grant licenses to sell liquor.

"Bill" Hayes knows where the licensed places are for he sells many of them cigars. "Old Hundred" is mentioned as a candidate for the office, but it is whispered that Bill is looking for an "Hon" and hasn't time to bother about license commissions.

Ex-Superintendent Horace P. Beals might find time for the job.

The mayor and Lawyer John J. Harvey are great friends, doing business in the same office. Mr. Harvey's chances for an appointment are said to be quite good.

Of course Col. Jim Bennett stands a show, so do Ex-Mayor Jewett, Albert Wheeler, Albert Crowell, Charles Carter and Frank L. Weaver.

Among the democrats there are some very desirable candidates spoken of, though their chances with our non-partisan mayor are not very good. There is Cassius B. Pierce of the American Express company, whom many would like to see in the position. Then another desirable man is George F. Blair of School street, a staunch democrat. Mr. Blair has never sought public office although often solicited. He is in the real estate business and is accounted wealthy. Frank B. Dow's name has been mentioned.

Councilman John G. Gordon of Ward Two is a pronounced candidate for the position. He is a good democrat and a graduate of Brown university. He is popular or he would not have been elected in that ward.

Among the other democrats mentioned are Col. Haggett, ex-Alderman Butterworth, Hon. Jeremiah Crowley and Fisher H. Pearson. But the crop on both sides is a growing one, and as frosts are not likely to come the crop will be a generous one and Mayor Pickman will have to borrow a magnifying glass to find the man he wants in the clamoring throng.

T. D. PIPES BURNED.

Small Blaze in a Cigar Shop To-day Was Probably Caused by Rats.

The alarm from box 25 was occasioned by a slight blaze in the cigar manufactory of Henry P. Flood, No. 434 Merrimack street.

The fire started in a box containing matches and these together with a few boxes of T. D. pipes and a small portion of the counter under which the matches were stored, were damaged.

Mr. Flood and his two assistants were in the rear shop when the fire started. It is supposed that rats among the matches caused the fire. The damage will not be great, but it is amply covered by H. C. Church & Son, liberal insurance agents.

Why Not.

If you are economizing why not look over your printing bills and see if you are not paying too much for printing. Call at this office and get prices on your work, and see if we cannot save money for you.

FROM OUR ARMORY.

NOTES OF INTEREST RELATING TO APPROACHING MUSTER.

One of the New Rifles on Exhibition—The Militia Will be Equipped With Them in Three Years—Cadets Have a Campfire.

The talk is all "muster" at the armory. Companies C and G of the Sixth Regiment and the Ambulance Corps are ready for muster. The latter goes into camp a week from Monday, and the others on Tuesday. Passes good for Thursday and Friday of muster week have been distributed to the men; the officers will have passes good for the week for distribution. This is the first year of discrimination in this respect.

The order that racks will not be allowed in the tents has caused a demand for a new style of rack, which will get around the order. It will not do to have clothing or guns piled on the floor, so Armorer Farnsworth has gotten up a new arrangement which is far better than the old one.

Capt. Mitten attended the meeting of the Ninth Regiment officers in Boston, yesterday.

Visitors to the muster field this year must either carry their own luncheons or go into Framingham for refreshments. No more complimentary meals to visitors.

The Ambulance Corps, Lowell division as usual has issued a neat "at home" card. The boys will not keep "house open" as in years past but will nevertheless be "at home" in every sense of the word to their friends.

The Cadet company had an informal spread in its rooms after drill last night, and to members of other companies the aroma of coffee gave evidence of a fine spread. The guests were Mr. Gid White, A. A. Hovey, Frank Hawes, C. W. Brigham, C. E. Osgood and F. A. Dutton. A general good time followed the "feed."

A rifle team of seven men captained by Lieut. Worthen will compete against the crack team of the Sixth regiment at Wakefield next week.

The New Rifle.

Armorer Tom Farnsworth has one of the new magazine rifles on exhibition. It is a fine weapon, finely finished and even artistically mounted if such a thing is possible. The barrel is of small size for the calibre is only .30. The bayonet is an adaptation from the European "cheese stabber," or sword bayonet. It is of blue steel. The magazine carries five cartridges. It is a hammerless gun, the firing pivot having a sliding movement. About two inches from the firing point, and projecting from the side is a steel swivel. This is the ejector. In position it is down, but after firing it is pulled upward and toward the breech thereby ejecting a shell from the chamber and loading the chamber from a small magazine.

The swivel is then pushed into place. The one operation of pulling up the ejector, sliding it back and then returning it to position suffices to load and cock the gun. It can be discharged very rapidly. One thing is quite evident, when the rifle comes into general use the "carry" will be dropped from the manual, ordinarily, as the ejector swivel interferes with the carry. Already the companies in the regular army using the new rifle have been relieved of the carry in ordinary drill. The militia will be equipped with the new rifle in three years. The cartridge is copper cased and the ball is a spherical lead filled copper case. The bullet will go through a man leaving a clean round wound. The wounds are the same as those inflicted by a Mannlicher rifle ball.

NOT OF THE MAIN HERD.

None of Mr. C. J. Hood's Celebrated Jerseys Among Those Burned Wednesday Night.

From a humane standpoint, the loss of some of Mr. Hood's jerseys by fire at Lowell, Mass., Wednesday night, is deplorable. From a financial standpoint the loss, if any, is trifling, as it is well covered by insurance, and the standing of the herd is in no way affected, as the number that perished is insignificant in so large a herd, and did not include any of his celebrated animals.

With the additions that Mr. Hood has recently made to his stock, the Hood farm herd of Jerseys is one of the largest and best, if not the best, in the world. Had this fire occurred in his main barn the loss would have been irreparable. Fortunately, however, it was in another farm, and the stock consumed, having been bought recently in the West, had never entered his main herd.

It is Mr. Hood's habit, and it is a wise one, to isolate or quarantine from the rest of the herd any stock recently purchased, and not commingle them with his main herd for months, until constant inspection by his veterinary surgeon has assured him that the health of each animal is perfect.

Following this custom, the animals destroyed by fire were quarantined at the time of the fire.

Where is Annie Gannon?

Does anyone know where Annie Gannon can be found?

Her sister, Kate McGovern of Orange, N. J., came here yesterday to see her, and after searching the city failed to find her.

Her sister is the wife of a man named John Gannon and three weeks ago was working in a local restaurant. She formerly was employed at McCoy's restaurant.

Mrs. McGovern's address may be had by calling on Mrs. Wallace, matron at the police station.

Boys,

now is your chance, a bat and ball given with 1 pound of our 50c. tea purchased this week. The U. S. Tea Co., corner Central and Prescott streets.

The Usual Democratic Majority.

RICHMOND, May 25.—The municipal elections throughout Virginia passed off quietly. Generally the results were simply a ratification of the will of the Democratic majority throughout the state.

Likely to Spread.

PROVIDENCE, May 25.—An epidemic of malignant diphtheria has broken out here. Nine cases were found in one section of the city. There is every reason to believe that the disease will spread.

A Good Capture.

PARIS, May 25.—Three anarchists, named Guerin, Beaulieu and Gauch, have been arrested. Gauch is worth 600,000 francs. It is asserted that he has supplied the anarchists with funds.

Fought In the War of 1812.

PROVIDENCE, May 25.—William Cooper died yesterday at East Providence. He was born in 1788, and lived in the same place 96 years. He was a veteran of the war of 1812.

How Paris Does It.

LIMA, May 25.—Several prisoners, charged with political offenses, have been removed to Callao and placed in dungeons. Among the prisoners is Post Chocano.

THE SUN Job Print leads them all. Try us.

BIG SENSATION

Real Live Tramp Stirred Up the Police Court.

AN UNBRIDLED TONGUE LET LOOSE MADE A SCENE.

Unknown Individual Has Gone to Bridgewater.

There was a big sensation in police court this morning.

Among the prisoners was a real live professional tramp, whose name and history were unknown.

He had been loafing around Tewksbury for the past few days and was arrested by Constable Allen Buchanan.

Buchanan had a tussle with him when arresting him.

He was charged with being a vagrant and when the lengthy complaint had been read the clerk said:

"What do you say?"

"I say nothing. I don't know what I am here for; I walked along the road molesting no one and that ——fool arrested me."

"Shut up" said Office Bumps.

"I'll shut you up—quick" responded the tramp.

While Officer Buchanan gave his testimony the prisoner sat in the dock with a wild look on his bronzed features, muttering and cursing to himself.

"Do you want to ask him any questions? He says you're a tramp, begging food at different houses" said the court.

"Whom do you want me to ask questions? I never did him wrong."

"I was walking within your town limits, not troubling anything or anybody.

"I am a tramp, I live at no home. My home is in the free air." This was followed by a volley of oaths.

"Who are you talking to?" asked the court.

"I'm speaking to myself. Then you speak to yourself. I am my own counsellor and advisor." More oaths.

He was sentenced to the state farm at Bridgewater for 8 months, and the court ordered him to be removed at once.

Officer Bumps put his hand on the savage prisoner and the latter went at him with the yell: "Take your hand off me."

Officers Breen and Ingalls and Agent Drury rushed to Officer Bumps assistance, and the tramp's desire to clean out the court room suddenly vanished.

Down stairs he made another fight, but was finally put in a cell.

The man is evidently a maniac of the most dangerous character.

SPORTING GOSSIP.

While talking about bowling the other night with "Veteran" Jim McLaughlin, the latter expressed his desire to see a change in bowling. He said that 30 years ago, when bowling was all the rage and the basement of the old Museum building was used for alleys, the leading game was candle pins. "Why," said he, "we would no more think of using big pins, such as we now use, with big balls than to use big balls in the duck pin tournament. 'Greenies' from the country would use the combination, but bowlers would use candle pins. I believe in cutting down the size of the pins, to half way between the present size and duck pins. Use the same balls, and put the pins on the same spots; then you would see scientific work. The game at present is not scientific; all of us ought to make better scores with the chances offered."

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There will be less boating on the river this year than ever before, yet Stevens, the boat builder, says the boating will come around again when the boys decide "that cycling is too much work."

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A knot of prominent club men were taking club matters the other day. Vesper men predominated and accordingly they had their say, which was upon the benefits to be derived from an amalgamation of the present clubs in this city. For instance, the Vespers need an athletic field very much, a field where all sorts of sports could be carried out. If the club had the Dracut oval up near the club house the acme of perfection would be reached. But a suggestion was offered that a big down town club be formed with the Vesper house for the summer annex and the Dracut oval for its field. In large cities a club house is in town and its adjuncts a few miles away. But in small places people want everything in their own dooryard.

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The first season of the Miserables club has shown pretty conclusively that the East Merrimack street club house is handy. With a fine approach as will come when the new bridge is completed this fact will be illustrated more fully. It is understood that financially the season has been successful for the club; surely, it has been a success socially. With better times, as will surely come, and more money in people's pockets next winter, the club should make an effort to meet the demands of its club members, or rather branch out and make a good down town club of it. There is room for it, and properly organized it will succeed; more than that existence of the bowling alleys has contributed not a little to promoting sobriety and good order. Many a man has paid ten cents for bowling and thereby obtained exercise and enjoyment from the sport who previously used the money to buy beer.

PERSONAL.

Charles A. Whittet has accepted a position as manager of the Briggs conservatory at Taunton.

Mr. and Mrs. George H. Wood have gone on a trip through the west.

Dr. Solon Bartlett is improving daily.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Cameron of Westford and Mrs. Kobler have returned from Jamaica.

Miss Lea Brunnette has gone to Biddeford, Me.

Mrs. John I. Gibson and the Misses Kidder of Nesmith street have gone to Mt. Vernon, N. H., to spend the summer.

Henry Latour of Central Falls, R. I., is visiting friends in this city.

Mrs. N. D. Heselton of Durant street, is entertaining Miss M. P. Blake, formerly of this city.

Mrs. Charles S. Lilley is now resting well, and the chances are very favorable for her recovery.

Mrs. James B. Field has gone to New York, to visit her sister.

C. E. A. Bartlett has been chosen a director of the Peterboro', N. H., railroad.

BOOT'S CIGAR STORE, No. 9 Merrimack Street. Finest Line of Pipes in the City.

RAILROADS ARE KICKERS.

TALK OF SUITS FOR LAND DAMAGES MADE TODAY.

Hearing on the Abolition of the Pawtucket Street Grade Crossing Continued—Only a Few People Were Present.

The railroad people continued the presentation of the testimony on the question of abolishing the Pawtucket grade crossing before the commissioners at city hall this morning. Outside of counsel and reporters only about a dozen persons were present.

President Brooks of the Nashua & Lowell railroad said that his company will oppose any movement toward making a change in the grade of the railroad. If a change must be made let it be in the grade of the highway; let the road cross the tracks, at a right angle. The grade in the tracks of the Nashua & Lowell road is higher at the Pawtucket crossing than at any other point. The Nashua & Lowell road owns the land on which its tracks are laid, and should any change be made in grade of tracks, it is probable the company will sue for land damages, which may amount to almost as much as the cost of the change proposed by the city. If a change is made in the grade of the tracks, it will cost more to run the road. If a change must be made his company favored running the highway over the tracks.

The expense will be less than altering the grade of the tracks. The change proposed by the city would make a rise of 20 feet to the mile in the grade of the tracks.

He then proceeded to compare the cost of the change proposed by the city and the Nashua and Lowell road, but Solicitor Hogan objected to this going in as evidence.

Mr. Brooks said he did not want to have it go in as evidence.

Some time was then spent looking over a map, which showed the location of the different towns.

Frank B. Rowell, a civil engineer, who has been employed by the B. & M., and B. & L. railroads for 21 years, 8 of which were spent in general work and 13 in railroad engineering, said the actual maximum grade of the railroad from Boston to Nashua is 15 feet to the mile. He has prepared a plan to run the railroad over the highway

Connecting With Foster Street.

This plan will raise the railroad seven feet. This change if carried out will cost about $32,700, exclusive of land damages.

He also prepared an estimate of the cost of the change proposed by the city, with the same conditions as the city engineer had prepared his plan except that he changed the grade of the road from 21 to 15 feet and found

It Will Cost About $134,915.

The estimates provide for three tracks only though the bridge spoke of would be wide enough for four tracks. If four tracks are put in use instead of three, it will make a difference of about $1000.

A prospective view was produced showing the plan of the proposed

Separation of Grades

as prepared by the railroad engineers.

In reply to a question by Mr. Richardson, as to what additional burden it would be on the railroad to increase the grade, Mr. Rowell said that on a grade of 15 feet to the mile, the road's heaviest engine can haul 1521 tons. On a grade of 21 feet to the mile, it would draw 1303 tons.

Questioned by Solicitor Hogan Mr. Rowell admitted that

He Appeared Before the Aldermen

a few years ago and presented a plan, for a change at Pawtucket crossing by which the tracks would be depressed 2 or 3 feet. By this means the regular grade would not be increased. He prepared an estimate of a plan to run the street to the right toward the ice houses and having it run over the tracks and

It Would Cost $40,890,

exclusive of land damages.

Mr. Rowell estimated the cost of the bridge according to the city's plan at $35,000.

The city engineer's estimate fixes the cost at $10,000.

Mr. Rowell did not think the bridge could be built for that amount. The only place the difference of $25,000 in the cost of construction could be, is in the iron work or superstructure of the bridge.

Carroll H. Wright, a bridge builder since 1849, has built bridges in various places in the country. He has constructed bridges for about every railroad in Massachusetts. He has looked over estimates of the cost of changes proposed by the city engineer. He believed it a very dangerous crossing at present. "I have been building grade crossings for the last 20 years, and the history of them is to cross at right angles, if possible."

"How long ago was this discovered?" inquired Mr. Hogan, in a jesting way.

Mr. Wright further said that it would be no element of danger to railroad traffic by having a bridge built over the highway, 75 feet long on an angle of 45 degrees. Relative to pedestrian's travel, he considered there would be danger, because you run along the track for about 700 feet. The danger is not so much when you are under the bridge, as when you are on either side of it. He did not know of any other bridge in Massachusetts where the angle is so sharp, as it would be in the one proposed by the city.

"We will rest our case here," said Mr. Richardson.

President Brooks of the N. & L. road had some evidence he desired to present, but was unable to produce it today.

In view of this fact Mr. Richardson suggested the consideration of the other grade crossings.

Mr. Hogan objected to taking up the others, until the Pawtucket crossing is disposed of.

Mr. Brooks, Mr. Hogan and Engineer Bowers then conferred in the reporter's room.

They were out about 25 minutes and upon returning Mr. Brooks stated that Mr. Rowell's testimony was supplementary to what he had intended to offer, at least that part relating to the diversion of Pawtucket street so as to have it run through the ice-houses. He considered Mr. Rowell's testimony as very judicious, and he favored the plan of having the highway run over the tracks.

Mr. Brooks then stated that he would rest his case here but a few moments later re-called Mr. Rowell and asked him the amount of injury would be done the N. & L. road were the grades changed. He replied that the increased expense would be about $10,200 annually which capitalized at 6 per cent., would amount to $400,000.

Of course their estimate is based on the usual methods given by authorities on this subject.

Mr. Brooks claimed that, to him it seems that the law is unconstitutional which would not allow his company to recover damages, for injury done their land. His company owns the land on which its tracks are built, and if the city's plan is adopted, they will certainly come back on the commission for $400,000 damages.

It seems very funny that we are compelled to pay 66 per cent of the cost, for injuring our own property.

LATEST

MORE BLOOD

Miners Tear Down a Jail in La Salle.

MILITIA ORDERED OUT IN ILLINOIS TODAY.

Mines Have Been Fired by Infuriated Men.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

SPRING VALLEY, Ill., May 25.—A body of miners numbering 500 started from this place at 2 a. m. for La Salle. Reports from that place state that the miners fired the coal shafts, and tore down the jail liberating the men who were arrested yesterday for participating in a riot.

Militia Ordered Out.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., May 25.—Gov. Altgeld has ordered out the Fourth infantry, as the sheriff at La Salle telegraphed that his force was unable to cope with the miners who are destroying much property.

MARION, Ill., May 25.—The miners here are arming themselves, and if threats are carried out there will be bloodshed. At Carbondale, Cartersville and Murphysboro' a conflict between strikers and the men at work is hourly expected.

THREATENED TO KILL.

SO IT IS SAID OF MARY POWLINSKI.

Arrested on a Peace Warrant Asked for by Prentiss Webster, Esq., Today.

Mary Powlinski, aged 58 years, stopping on Chapel street, was arrested this morning in the police station on a peace warrant.

It is said she threatened to kill Prentiss Webster, Esq.

Mr. Webster complained of her conduct and a peace warrant was made out.

This morning she went into the police station, presumably to denounce Mr. Webster, and was locked up.

The woman is probably mentally ill and laboring under the impression that Prentiss Webster holds money in trust for her and is trying to cheat her out of it.

It is said she came here from Worcester some time ago and told Deputy McQuade a long story about some property of hers which the late General Butler held in trust and it is supposed owing to Mr. Webster's relations to the late general that it is the same money about which she is now troubling herself and the police.

It is said that Mary came to this country from Ireland many years ago. She went to Worcester and there married a Polish Jew named Powlinski.

He was a merchant and amassed considerable property which on his death he left to his two brothers.

Mary retained Gen. Butler, it is understood, to look up her rights, and he gave an opinion that she was not entitled to the property.

The brothers agreed, voluntarily, it is said, to keep Mrs. Powlinski for the rest of her life. It is said that Mr. Webster was recently engaged by her to again look up the estate and his opinion was the same as that of the late Gen. Butler. Mrs. Powlinski appears to entertain the idea that Mr. Webster is keeping her share of the property from her.

FROM THE WIRE.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

The senate committee to the investigation of charges of bribery of Senator Kyle and Hunton, in relation to the tariff bill, reported to the body this noon.

The examiners of the Boston custom house returned to Washington this noon. Appraiser Dodge will finish out his term.

Mr. Gladstone is reported as comfortable today.

READY FOR SIGNING.

License Commission Bill Sent Into the Governor.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

BOSTON, May 25.—In the senate this morning, the license commission was passed for enactment and ordered sent to the governor. It is not thought the governor will consider it till Monday.

Pronounced Insane.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

BOSTON, May 25.—James Dinan who shot Alderman Lomanski at city hall some weeks ago, was pronounced insane today and ordered removed to the Worcester insane asylum. During his confinement he exhibited signs of insanity.

Died by Wife's Hand.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

GREENLAND, N. H., May 25.—William Weeks, an old and prominent citizen of this place died today from an overdose of aconite accidentally administered by his wife who thought it was jamaica ginger.

Look Out For Them.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

BOSTON, May 25—A new counterfeit $5 silver certificate series of 1891, check letter c, plate No. 5 is reported today. It is a dangerous one.

THE CARPET MILLS.

Surprising Change in the Schedule Affecting Brussels Weavers.

The notice was issued today by Agent Lyon at the Carpet mill that the Ingrain department would start up full time Monday and the Brussels department shut down for three weeks next Friday.

Off for the Old Country.

The following Lowell residents leave Boston tomorrow on the Cunard line steamer Cephalonia for a three months visit to the old country: Mary E. Fogarty, Mary Mitchell, Norah Quigley, Maggie Quigley, Annie McGrath, Bessy Denman, Bridget Kettle, Mary O'Sullivan, Margaret Kelley, Della S. Kane, Mary Kerrigan and Annie Flaherty all booked through Murphy's steamship agency.



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ROYAL ARCANUMITES OF HIGHLAND LODGE MADE MERRY.

Their Anniversary Was Fittingly Observed With a Big Supper and Interesting Post Prandial Exercises.

Highland lodge, Royal Arcanum, celebrated its 8th anniversary last evening and held a grand banquet in Highland hall.

Many prominent guests were present including the following grand officers: Grand Regent Frank W. Reynolds of Jamaica Plain, grand orator William H. Simmons of Fall River, Grand Chaplain Samuel M. Tourtellot of Newton Centre, Grand Guide John E. McKenna of Waltham. Regent French, Vice Regent Whitman, Grand Vice Regent David and Thomas L. Dickey of Lowell council were also present.

A business meeting was first held and seven new members were admitted.

An adjournment was then made to the banquet hall where a fine spread was prepared.

After supper, Regent W. Dana Hill called to order, welcomed all present and spoke in complimentary terms of the work of Past Regent Jacob Murphy, the founder of the council, who has already brought 100 members into the council.

He introduced as toastmaster Past Regent A. G. Walsh, who was greeted with prolonged applause.

Mr. Walsh referred to the work of the council since its organization, and attributed a great part of its success to the efforts of Mr. Jacob Murphy.

A telegram expressing his regrets at his inability to be present was received from Past Grand Deputy Robinson.

Grand Regent Reynolds spoke of the strength of the order, which, he said, numbers 153,000 members, and is paying out $4,000,000 each year.

Grand Orator Simmons expressed a wish that every council had several such men as Past Regent Murphy and said that those who accepted office without accepting the full responsibility are not true to the best interests of the order.

Mayor Pickman spoke in a very happy vein. He spoke of the advantages of membership in the Royal Arcanum.

The other speakers were Mr. Jacob Murphy, Rev. R. A. Greene and Grand Chaplain Tourtellot.

It was 11.30 before the festivities came to a close.

POLICE COURT.

Hadley, J.

Deputy McQuade prosecuted the cases this morning.

Two were released, the others fined.

Frederick Haworth pleaded not guilty to the charge of non-support of his wife, Mary.

The latter said that her husband of late has not supported her at all, losing all his work, drinking hard and going places where he should not go. She worked hard every day to support herself and her daughter. He would not work steadily nor would he help her in any way.

Haworth said that his wife drank as much as he did, and admitted that his wife was a hard working woman. He hadn't been able to strike a steady occupation since last year when he was in court on a horse case.

Constable Conway testified that Haworth didn't work and had considerable trouble with his wife.

Judge Hadley in advising Haworth, who is an Englishman, said, "it may be the custom in the old country for a husband to stay at home while his wife works hard to support the family, but in this country, the husband is the head of the family, and the bread winner, while the wife presides over the home, and performs domestic duties." Haworth was taken on probation.

James Riley and John Duffy, the youths who were charged with stealing a watch and chain from Michael Cleary, while the latter were drunk, on Front street, last week, were found guilty. Riley was fined $10 and Duffy was put on probation.

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THE CARPET strike is not yet settled.

THE WARSHIPS Blake and Tarter are visiting in Boston harbor.

GOV. FLOWER seems to be doing little else than vetoing bills these times.

THERE WILL soon be a new councilman from Ward Six and a new candidate in the field for representative.

THE DEMOCRATS have amazed their republican opponents in the U. S. senate by getting together on the tariff question. The senate bill is now pretty sure to be passed.

REPUBLICANS ARE now beginning to charge the democrats of congress with breaking their party pledges. That is comical.

THOMAS CALLAN is again the object of general sympathy in this city. His friends are in hopes that his injuries will not prove so serious as at first supposed.

THE 400 feet from a school bill is so amended that it will not cause much disturbance to liquor dealers. The line will be measured on the same street and not as an air line radius with the school as a centre.

THE LICENSE commission bill is now pretty sure to become a law. It will change the political situation in most of the cities of the state. No longer will the aldermen have a hypnotising power upon liquor dealers.

MAYOR RUTTER of Lawrence will now have an opportunity to give Mr. Collins a place on the license commission in defiance of the aldermen. The latter may confirm Collins in order to avert such a result of their obstinacy.

THE NEW BEDFORD Mercury talks of the tax on the net income of savings banks as if it were a 2 per cent. tax on deposits. While the deposits of a bank may be millions, the earnings may not be much, may not be anything and a tax upon this something or this nothing is what is so loudly complained of.

IT DOES seem rather strange that Boston with a fire department supposed to be the best in New England suffers so much from fire. There is undoubtedly some secret cause which should, if possible, be revealed. Possibly a little overhauling would be of use. To discharge all the principal officers, however, would probably be a plan of improvement that would not be attended with the desired result.

AN INTERESTING trial has been concluded in the Superior court, Boston, resulting in a verdict for the plaintiff. The Old Colony railroad sued to recover a fifteen cent fare from a passenger who refused to pay because he was not provided with a seat. The court rules that transportation alone entitles the company to the fare. The passenger could have left the train on finding no vacant seat but remained standing.

THE SPEECHES made at the convention of the Irish National Federation in Boston on Wednesday were the most convincing that have been heard in this state for years on the justice of the cause, the need of harmony and the wisdom of maintaining majority rule. The leading spirits of the movement in Boston are T. B. Fitzpatrick, Dominick Toy and Daniel P. Sullivan. They never stop working and are known throughout the state as indefatigable champions of the Irish cause.

THE OUTLOOK BRIGHTENING.

The democrats in the U. S. senate are now united on the tariff bill and it is bound to pass despite the opposition of republicans. The senate bill makes the tariff lighter upon the necessaries of life and heavier upon luxuries. The removal of the tax from wool will probably aid the [illegible] industry. There is a sufficiently [illegible] upon articles of woollen [illegible]. If free coal has [illegible] there is no reason [illegible] will not also aid the woollen

mills. The senate bill will probably be adopted with some slight changes by the house. The trouble will then be settled, business activity will reappear and the depression will be a thing of the past before the end of summer. There are certain republican papers in this city and elsewhere which delight in predicting prolonged business depression and all kinds of disaster as a result of the delays of congress in settling the tariff question. They do not acknowledge that the republicans in congress have been carrying out a policy of obstruction and causing all the delay possible. But in spite of republican opposition times will improve, business will start up in all lines of industry and the predictions of the calamity howlers will be falsified. Here is what Senator Gorman says of the present outlook:

"After 20 years of political progress, of positive growth, of constant development and of universal enlightenment the democratic party and the American people are within sight of the promised land. Emancipation is at hand—emancipation from partisan oppression, from the greed of classes, from extortion, from wilful extravagance, from financial fantasy, from spoils, from restrictions upon individual liberty, from jingoism, from all those evils in brief which the democratic party inherited as a legacy from three decades of republican mal-administration."

Senator Gorman is in a position to know whereof he speaks, and he is thus sanguine of success.

It is just as well, therefore, for the pessimists to stop croaking and turn their faces to the returning light of prosperity peering from behind the gloomy clouds that hovered over the country for the past year. Troubles there are to be sure, but they will disappear with the putting into force of the new tariff law, and some of the worst evils of McKinleyism will be wiped out.

Soon the policy of the democratic party will be vindicated, despite the opponents of the administration.

A LAW has recently been passed in New York with the following provision:

Any person who wilfully states, delivers or transmits by any means whatever to any manager, editor, publisher, reporter or other employe of a publisher of any newspaper, magazine, publication, periodical or serial any statement concerning any person or corporation which, if published, would be a libel, is guilty of a misdemeanor."

At present in this state many persons think it is "smart" to impose a false story on a newspaper. Such a law would make them cautious. It does not, however, relieve the paper of any responsibility.

CHUGWATER'S EXPLANATION.

It Made Him Very Uneasy, and He Started For That Money.

"Josiah," inquired Mrs. Chugwater as she poured the coffee, "what does it mean when the papers talk about the financial situation being strained and the money market unsettled, and all that sort of thing?"

"It means that there is an uneasy feeling about securities," answered Mr. Chugwater, reaching for another biscuit.

"What does that mean?"

"Why, stocks and bonds, and—um—speculative values generally."

"What makes them have an uneasy feeling?"

"It's the operators, you understand, the financiers, that have that. When there comes a stringency in the money market"—

"In the money market? Do they sell money?"

"They sell securities, which is about the same thing, only they fluctuate in value. The condition of the stock and bond market is an index of the financial situation generally."

"I don't seem to understand it any better than I did before," said Mrs. Chugwater dubiously. "What is it that makes money scarce sometimes? Does the government quit making it?"

"No. It's simply withheld from investment in ordinary speculative channels. It's withdrawn from circulation and hoarded up. Can you understand that?"

"Y-yes, I suppose so. What does anybody want to withdraw it from circulation for, Josiah?"

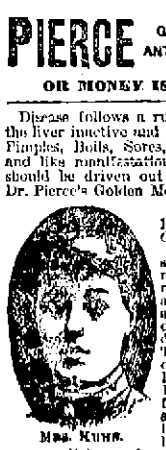
"It's all a matter of public confidence," said Josiah, becoming slightly impatient. When everybody has confidence in his fellow men, there's no stringency. It's this ridiculous habit some people have," he went on, warming with his subject, "of getting scared about nothing that makes panics. Somebody has a little money in a bank. He begins to be afraid the bank isn't all right, and he goes down town to take it out. He tells some friend on the way down what he's going to do, and that friend tells somebody else and it spreads, and the first thing you know there's a run on a perfectly sound bank, and all because some gourd head has lost confidence. And that reminds me," said Mr. Chugwater, checking himself hurriedly and looking at his watch, "that I've got about $600 in old Gumbling's bank that isn't any too safe. I'm going right down town now as quick as I can get there to draw every cent of it out!"

And with nervous haste Mr. Chugwater put on his hat and overcoat, shot out through the front door, and half an hour later was walking crazily back and forth on the sidewalk in front of old Gumbling's bank waiting for the doors to open.—Chicago Tribune.

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AN EXCEPTION.

A Story to Prove That It Doesn't Always Work That Way.

"A queer thing happened to me in your town of Detroit once," said a Buffalo man to a Detroiter the other day.

"Arrested on suspicion?"

"Hardly that. No; it's no joke. Some one stole my overcoat from a barber shop, and I went to a secondhand store to get something cheap to wear home. Didn't want to leave more money in your town than I was obliged to, you know."

"I follow."

"Well, I found something that suited me for $5. I thought the price a little high even at $5, but while handling the coat I felt in the right hand pocket and found a wallet."

"Of course. Our secondhand men knew that trick before Buffalo was founded."

"Yes, I felt a wallet and planked down a 'V' and walked off with the coat. The man wanted to send it to me, but you bet I didn't let him get his paws on the garment again. I couldn't hardly wait to get over to the hotel to examine the wallet."

"Yes, I know. It always works that way."

"Say, boy, how much do you suppose that wallet panned out?"

"Not a continental copper. The dealer had a barrelful of old wallets to slip into pockets as he came across greenhorns from Buffalo."

"Well, yes, but if I didn't take $160 out of that wallet I'm a sinner! More than that, the clerk of the hotel saw me do it, and I set up the cigars for 20 men. I hope never to breathe again if I'm not speaking the truth."

"How long ago was that?"

"About 15 years."

"And you still have the wallet?"

"I have. There it is, and there's the affidavit I made before a notary as soon as I reached Buffalo."

"Well?"

"Well?"

And then they looked at each other for a long time, and when they turned away each one felt that they might never meet again on earth.—Detroit Free Press.

Spreading Disease.

Various are the ways of spreading disease. Some workmen tore down an old house in New Haven. Soon an epidemic of diphtheria broke out among their families and friends. They had carried the wood home for fire, and thus were spread germs of the disease which had raged in the house the year before. An old feather bed was thrown into an open lot. Children played with it, and three out of five died of scarlet fever, and the disease was almost epidemic in the community for a time. Through ignorance or carelessness that bed had not been properly managed, or it would never have been allowed to leave the disease stricken house except in ashes.—New York Times.

Robert Stephens, an early English printer, was so anxious to have his books free from typographical blunders that, after having the proofs carefully read, he hung them up in public places with a standing reward to any one who could find a mistake.

Irish Surnames.

There is a magnificent sonority in the names of MacGillamhoholmogo, MacGillahenan, MacGraughty, O'Donovarma, O'Howley, O'Quigley, O'Mulcahy and O'Mulmoghery. Many of the names are extinct, but a large proportion are still in evidence, and, what is more, in nearly every case the families bearing them are to be found in the same localities formerly inhabited by them—Doherlys in Donegal, Driscolls in Cork, Macdermotts in Connaught, Meaghers in Tipperary and O'Sullivans in Cork and Kerry.

It is a notorious fact that many of the families which have come to be regarded as typically Irish are of alien extraction. Thus the Plunketts are of Danish origin; the Burkes, Dillons, Roches, Husseys and all the tribe of Fitz are Anglo-Norman, while the Mitchells are English.—London Spectator.

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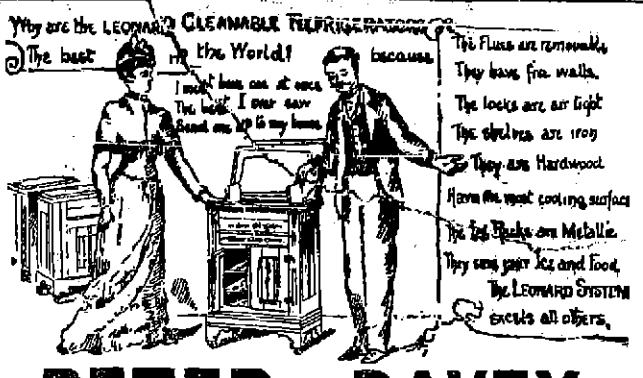
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LONDON, May 25.—The banquet tendered to Admiral Erben, Captain Mahan and the officers of the United States cruiser Chicago by officers of the English navy and army and distinguished citizens of Great Britain was held last night in St. James' hall and was a brilliant success.

The principal table was placed upon a platform underneath the organ loft, from which hung immense English and American flags. Entwined Union Jacks and Stars and Stripes were placed in many parts of the hall. A broad band inscribed: "Blood is thicker than water," was suspended from the gallery, opposite the organ loft.

Four tables, extending the whole length of the hall at right angles to the principal tables, accommodated the other guests, numbering 300. These included the other officers of the Chicago and the leading lights of the nation.

A Work of Art.

Before each guest there was a beautiful menu card or brochure.

This consisted of sixteen pages. The frontispiece was a monochrome engraving of the cruiser Chicago, between the Union Jack and the Stars and Stripes, and was inscribed, "A hearty welcome to the Chicago." The second page contained portraits of Admiral Erben and Captain Mahan, and was surmounted with a device representing clasped hands between intertwined flags, with the scroll, "Blood is thicker than water," and the couplet:

When love unites wide space divides in vain,
And hands may clasp across the spreading main.

Other pages contained pictures of Westminster Abbey, Trafalgar square, Greenwich hospital and the disaster to the Trenton and the Calliope at Apia.

When the ladies entered the gallery in evening costume, the brilliancy of the scene was greatly enhanced.

The Speeches.

Lord Hamilton, the chairman, began the speechmaking by offering a toast to the queen and President Cleveland. He said that Queen Victoria and President Cleveland were the heads of the two great English-speaking nationalities of the world, the heads of governments whose authority was exercised over a large portion of the globe.

But it was not merely on that account that he asked them to drink to their health. He gave the toast with the hope that the rare qualities of these two persons might long continue to influence and sway the national policy of the two great countries of which they were the heads.

After giving the usual loyal toasts to the Prince of Wales and his family, and to the royal family generally, Lord Hamilton toasted the United States, saying Englishmen are proud of the progress that the United States has made in the present century, because they believed that the progress was largely due to the racial qualities which those who originally came from Great Britian transmitted to America.

Times Have Changed.

One hundred and ten years ago we parted in anger, after bloodshed; now we have met together as reconciled members of one family. The historic town of Boston yesterday received the British admiral and the officers of his flagship magnificently. He was afraid that the citizens of that great town were engaged 110 years ago in a less congenial operation.

Today it was our privilege to entertain a distinguished American admiral and the officers of his flagship (here there was a great outburst of cheering). One hundred and ten years ago the citizens of London were engaged in a less satisfactory operation of taxing themselves in order to punish the citizens of Boston.

The speaker saw opposite to him the historic words: "Blood is thicker than water." Nobody who had the privilege of being on the other side of the water could come to any other conclusion than that the sentiment was true, because there were between Englishmen and the great mass of the American community an origin and identity of language and similarity of ideas and pursuits which existed between no other two nations on the face of the earth. These great principles would not fail to bind the two nations in bonds of permanent unity. All then rose and drank to the toast amid tremendous applause.

Bayard's Speech.

Ambassador Bayard rose to reply, and was received with prolonged cheering. He said he felt deeply the honor of having been made the envoy to this country and this nation. The gracious reception that he had been given on numerous occasions in this great city and elsewhere in Great Britain made him feel the sincerity and reality of the welcome so expressed. In the name of his country and his countrymen he sincerely thanked them for the banquet.

It was a happy omen that it came upon the birthday of that benign and gracious lady whose devotion to public duty was clear and beautiful. Well might the British subject congratulate himself that he contemplated with affectionate admiration the home life of the true mother of her country, whose domestic virtues so illustrated her long and happy reign. Turning his eyes across the Atlantic, well might the American, of whatever party or race, congratulate himself that the virtues of innocent and guileless childhood, of life, integrity, manhood and womanhood, were clustered around the hearthstone of the President of the United States.

No other tongue spoken now by man contained that word "Home" more than the mother tongue of them all, and it was from home and through home that associations and impressions were formed that made the nation and the people and wrote their true history. He did not feel that this was an ordinary occasion of festivity. Hospitalities and courtesies came as thick and sweet as the blossoms in May, and mutual services were paid in time of need and sympathy and sorrow.

These, thank God, were exchanged abundantly between the two great branches of the English-speaking people. It was men who went down in deep ships who knew best the sympathies that bound the hearts of the sailors of the two nations. The sea that once divided mankind was now found to be its main means of intercourse.

Praise For America's Navy.

In times past, from no quarter had greater assistance been found than in the naval service of either country, and for the present he would speak of that country which it was his privilege and honor to represent.

If he had read the record of history aright, no man had written clearer and more valuable lessons for the relations of mankind in the use and knowledge of the sea than the officers of the American navy. It was an excellent thing to have a sea power, but it was tyrannous to use that power. Therefore, let the laws of equal force and the laws of morals proceed, and whoever should best exercise sea power in this world let him or them remember that power to be safe must ever be in the harness of the law.

The Other Speakers.

Admiral Hornby then toasted the United States navy. He said that the presence of the American admiral's flag as high up as Gravesend was unprecedented, but they all hoped that it would appear there again.

Admiral Erben, responding to Admiral Hornby's toast, said that never before was such a compliment paid to the American navy. He thanked those present, not only in behalf of the officers and men of the Chicago, but of every man in the American navy.

Lord Roberts then proposed a toast to Captain Mahan and the officers of the Chicago. He said they welcomed the American officers as brothers as well as distinguished guests, and alluded to their community of origin, sentiment and language.

Captain Mahan responded briefly. In conclusion, he toasted the British navy and coupled with it the sentiment that its future career might be as beneficent as its past had been glorious.

Admiral Commerell briefly responded to Captain Mahan's toast, and the proceedings closed with the band playing the "Star Spangled Banner."

A fantasia of American airs was played between the speeches.

When Mr. Bayard rose to speak the organ and band played "Hail, Columbia." Mr. Bayard was unable to speak for some minutes, owing to the tumultuous applause with which he was greeted. Every word of the speech, which was impressively uttered, was listened to with close attention.

A FIGHT WITH DEPUTIES.

Four Strikers Are Dead and an Unknown Number Injured.

UNIONTOWN, Pa., May 25.—The long threatened attack by striking miners on the pits of the Washington Coal and Coke company at Stickle Hollow in the Fourth pool district on the Monongahela river was made yesterday, involving another of the grim tragedies that characterize the irrepressible conflict. The fight was one of the fiercest in the history of the mining troubles in western Pennsylvania. Four strikers are dead and double that number are badly wounded, some of them mortally.

Thomas Kenan is the only American killed in the encounter with the deputies. The other dead men are Slavs. The wounded men who fell under the first volley from the deputies were taken off the field by the retreating strikers, and even now the actual number of wounded is not definitely known. It is, perhaps, too soon to attempt to apportion the responsibility for the killing, as many confused and contradictory statements are made.

The strikers furnished all the dead men; not a deputy was fatally hurt and only three of them wounded. The fight occurred in the public roadway leading to the Stickle Hollow plant. Two thousand strikers came out there to intercept the men on their way to work. Some carried Winchesters, while others were armed with shotguns, muzzle-loading rifles and revolvers.

Because of their threatening demonstrations and the fact that they had given notice to the company that they had come to drive off the deputies if necessary, there were ball cartridges in the Winchesters carried by the guards, and the entire outfit at the works was in general readiness to receive raiders. The deputies had specific orders, and it is admitted that the company ordered them to shoot to kill.

UNSYMPATHETIC AUDIENCE

Listened to Professor Smith In His Address to the Presbyterians.

SARATOGA, May 25.—The flirtation between the northern and southern Presbyterian churches has come to an abrupt close. The offer of organic union has been rejected by the southern body and each will now continue to pursue its separate way.

The Smith trial has begun in the general assembly, and will probably continue until tomorrow noon. The argument of Professor Smith was a great one, but, although pathetic, was addressed to an audience not at all sympathetic. The committee of prosecution occupied the afternoon and evening, arguing at great length and with great earnestness, but the audience was weary and the air bad. The moderator got tired and retired to the basement of the church for rest.

The report made touching the supposed death of Dr. George P. Hays was found to be a mistake. The telegram referred to the death of Dr. Isaac N. Hays of Pittsburg and was signed by Dr. George P. Hays himself.

Whittemore For Governor.

RUTLAND, Vt., May 25.—The Prohibitionists held their convention at Middlebury and nominated the following state ticket: For governor, Rodney C. Whittemore, St. Albans; lieutenant governor, Dr. L. W. Hanson, Barre; treasurer, John F. Leonard, Burlington; secretary of state, Henry R. Mack, Hardwick; auditor, Frank W. Wheeler, Richford; state committee, F. H. Shepard, Fairhaven, chairman; C. W. Wyman, St. Albans; George L. Story, Bakersfield; A. O. Ferguson, Burlington; W. H. Sargent, Royalton. Radical resolutions were adopted.

That Ocean Race.

LONDON, May 25.—The owners of the White Star line declare that their instructions against racing are most explicit. They add that there is no doubt that the captain of the Majestic did his best to avoid racing. The Liverpool manager of the American line said that he had telegraphed to Captain Randle of the Paris for the facts in regard to the reported racing across the Atlantic. Captain Randle replied that he had never deviated one degree from his course.

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SENATOR GORMAN CRITICISED BY HALE.

The House Fight on the Civil Service.

WASHINGTON, May 25.—The senate proceedings were enlivened by a short debate on Hawaii and a very sarcastic speech from Mr. Hale on Mr. Gorman's speech.

The Maryland senator, Mr. Hale said, had spoken none too soon. The Macedonian cry had gone up, like the wail of a lost soul, from the Democracy of the country for some one to appear as a leader in the senate.

He read from Democratic papers arraignments of the majority of the senate for the "surrender" of principle contained in the "Gorman-Brice bill." The senator from Maryland, Mr. Hale proceeded, had come forward with the effort of his life to re-form the broken Democratic ranks.

The speech made by the Maryland senator, added Mr. Hale, was made not to the country, but to his Democratic colleagues. Mr. Hale continued with vivid words and vitriolic comment to divide the Democratic side of the chamber into "groups," to which he said Mr. Gorman had addressed his remarks.

The "Groups" Described.

The first group, he said, comprised the two senators from New York, Messrs. Hill and Murphy, Mr. Smith (N. J.) and Messrs. Kyle and Roach. They represented constituencies opposed to this bill.

The second group—a large one—despised the bill before the senate, because it gave the lie to the convictions and professions of a lifetime. It contained Messrs. Mills and Coke (Tex.), Vest and Cockrell (Mo.), Vilas (Wis.), Gray (Del.), Palmer (Ills.), Lindsay and Blackburn (Ky.), Harris and Bate (Tenn.) and perhaps one or two others.

They were the men who when they were obliged to vote for protection to coal and iron ore, to the Sugar trust and Lead trust, would ask themselves: "Is thy servant a dog that he should do this?" Then they would all vote for these provisions and answer their own questions.

There was another group to which no appeal from the senator was necessary. It included Messrs. Camden and Faulkner (W. Va.), Morgan and Pugh (Ala.), Caffery and Blanchard (La.), Brice (O.), Gibson (Md.), and the great compromiser himself, Mr. Gorman, had given no anxiety to this group.

Why? Because they had secured all they wanted. It extended to the confines of the earth, but he repeated that they had got all they wanted.

Mr. Hale continued to point out in detail specifically what he termed the "price" paid for votes in the latter group, calling attention to speeches made by these senators in the past.

The bill as it now stood, Mr. Hale said, had no responsible parents. It was a political bastard. It was the result of the intercourse of those who had abandoned party principle with the easy virtue of a few protected industries and the habitual prostitutes of the trusts.

It was after 3 o'clock when the senate got down to actual work on the schedules. Very fair progress was made, eight pages (from paragraph 121 to 143 inclusive) being disposed of.

The surprise of the day was the acceptance by the finance committee of an amendment offered by Mr. Allen, the Nebraska Populist, to place barbed wire on the free list. Several Republicans opposed it, but did not carry their opposition to the extent of demanding a record-making vote upon it. An intimation from Mr. Hoar that free barbed wire was to be the price of Mr. Allen's vote for the tariff bill was indignantly denied.

A Week's Fight Ended.

After being under consideration for just one week, the legislative, executive and judicial appropriation bill was passed by the house.

The main fight was in the house after the bill had been reported back from the committee of the whole on the amendment declaring the laws authorizing the docking of members' salaries for absence repealed, and on the amendment refusing to provide for the civil service commission. Separate yea and nay votes were demanded on these amendments, when the first was lost by a vote of 104 to 128, and the latter by 80 to 156.

A yea and nay vote was taken on the amendment offered by Mr. Enloe striking out the appropriation for the salaries of the civil service commissioners and clerks, which the committee of the whole adopted by a decisive vote. It resulted: Yeas, 80; nays, 156. So the amendment was lost.

Another amendment proposed by Mr. Caruth and agreed to in the committee of the whole, which was designed to still further emasculate the civil service commission, was defeated in the house without division, as was also the amendment to equalize the salaries of the assistant doorkeepers of the house.

The only amendments adopted yesterday in the committee of the whole and agreed to by the house were to increase the appropriation for publishing the postal guide from $15,000 to $30,000, and an additional item of $2500 for clerical service for the Dockery commission.

Mr. Terry secured the adoption of an amendment providing that each circuit court of appeals should be entitled to have expended for its use at least one-half of such surplus as they had accrued.

Mobbed the Police.

BERLIN, May 25.—The people of Kassel have been excited by reports concerning the ill treatment of police prisoners. Yesterday afternoon 300 persons mobbed a small force of police in Market square and sang the Marseillaise. The Hussars were called out and restored order. Many persons were injured.

On a Three Months' Cruise.

NEW BEDFORD, Mass., May 25.—Revenue cutter S. P. Chase sailed yesterday on a three months' voyage. She has a crew of 25 men and 12 cadets. She will make port at Corunna, Spain, St. Michael and Gardiner's Bay.

Standing of Maine Banks.

WASHINGTON, May 25.—Reports from 83 banks of Maine show loans and discounts amounting to $20,708,077; lawful money reserve, $1,416,694; individual deposits, $13,087,878. Average reserve, 34.44 per cent.

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FOR WOMAN'S RIGHTS.

MISS ANTHONY'S PLEA FOR WOMAN SUFFRAGE.

The Home Vote Would be Doubled and Moral Influence Far Reaching.

ALBANY, May 25.—Because of Miss Susan B. Anthony's inability to remain in Albany later than yesterday, the committee on suffrage of the constitutional convention gave a hearing to her yesterday afternoon. The scene presented was a curious one, for more than two-thirds of the audience were composed of noted lawyers of the state, while the other third were women anxious to have the word "male" stricken from the constitution.

Mrs. Greenleaf of Rochester was the first speaker, and she briefly outlined the condition of women at the time the present constitution was adopted and at the present time. She said that the voice of the governed should be heard in the government. Laws had been made for women, and women were now governed almost the same as men.

She then introduced Miss Anthony, who was received with loud applause. She went to the root of the question at once. She detailed the workings of woman suffrage in other states and countries. In England, spinsters and widows could vote if they were property holders. In Kansas women were given the right to vote on all school questions, and the results had been very good. Women were now doing the same work as men, in the same manner, but for half the pay.

Will Help Poor Women.

Enfranchise the women and the results will be different. The work for equal suffrage was not being done to help the wife of the millionaire, but to help the poor working woman, and put them on the same plane as the man of equal ability. Kansas had also granted women suffrage on municipal matters, and these, too, had brought good results. The governments were better, and that, too, was the case in the state of Wyoming, where women had been granted the right of suffrage for 25 years. The governors of that state were all in favor of retaining that feature, and the people there were hearty in their praise of it.

She said that Colorado was the first state in the Union where a majority of the men had gone to the polls and had there voted to give the women equal suffrage. As to the question of the removal of property qualifications of women in this state, she said it was the vote of the poor man that removed it years ago. If the women were allowed to vote now they would remove the word "male."

Another reason why they should strike it out was that of moral influence. Women were the controlling influences in the school, in the church and the charitable institutions. Men controlled the saloons, the gambling houses, the race tracks. "Put these in the balance opposite each other," said she, raising her hand, "and you will see that the material interest of the world will kick the beam. That's our side. That's why we should vote."

The question has been raised about the ignorant vote. There are fewer uneducated women than there are men. The prisons of the United States contain 55,000 men and 5000 women. There are fewer women without homes than men, and the floating vote would not be doubled by granting suffrage, but the home vote would be doubled and the floating vote minimized.

Not a New Hand.

"Does anybody want to ask me any questions? You need not be afraid. I have been on the stump for 40 years. If we could vote, you would not be afraid to argue."

Turning to the venerable Thomas Alvord, who sat on the committee, Miss Anthony said: "Mr. Alvord was an enemy of ours 27 years ago. Does he want to give a reason for it now?"

Amid laughter and applause, Mr. Alvord rose and said: "I would say to Miss Anthony that I sit here as a judge. The jury surrounds us, and when all is finished they will give to the women their rights."

In closing, Miss Anthony called attention to the fact that only unpardoned criminals, idiots, lunatics, Chinamen and women were forbidden the right of franchise, thus classing women with a degraded class.

Indiana Populists' Ticket.

INDIANAPOLIS, May 25.—The Populists nominated the following ticket: Secretary of state, C. A. Robinson of Fountaintown, Shelby county; auditor, Edgar A. Perkins of Indianapolis; treasurer, A. B. Keepert of Logansport; attorney general, Silas M. Holcomb of Tipton.

The Susquehanna Again Rising.

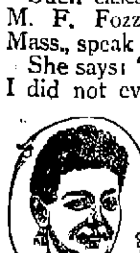
WILKESBARRE, Pa., May 25.—The rainstorm which set in yesterday is still raging and the Susquehanna river is again rising rapidly. People living on the lowlands on the west side of the river are making preparations to vacate their homes.

A Coming Society Event.

NEW YORK, May 25.—Cards are out for the wedding of Miss Ellen Windom, daughter of the late secretary of the treasury, and Bentley W. Warren of Boston. Harry Garfield, son of the late President Garfield, will be the best man.

Women, Isn't This Worth Believing?

Such cases as this of Mrs. M. F. Fozzy, of Campello, Mass., speak volumes.



She says: "I was very sick. I did not ever expect to get up again. Menstruations had stopped suddenly. The pains all through my body were terrible. As a last resort I sent for a bottle of *Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound* and a box of her Liver Pills. I also used a package of her Sanative Wash.

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It cures permanently all forms of female complaints.

Admiral Hopkins' Courtesy.

BOSTON, May 25.—Vice Admiral Hopkins gave an informal banquet to Governor Greenhalge last night on board H. M. S. Blake. The colors of Great Britain and the United States were festooned side by side at the head of the table. A portrait of the queen also adorned the saloon where the feast was spread. Tonight the commonwealth will entertain the Britishers with a banquet.

Hatch Still Missing.

LACONIA, N. H., May 25.—The whereabouts of the missing young business man, Herbert O. Hatch, is still a mystery to his almost heart-broken wife and his numerous creditors. It has been ascertained that he did not visit Boston after he left this city last Saturday, and it is believed that he changed cars at Nashua Junction for New York.

One Boy Was Lucky.

BOSTON, May 25.—Will Norman Morrison, aged 6, and John Cotter, aged 9, were playing on the railroad bridge of the New York and New England road and were struck by a train and knocked overboard. Cotter was fatally injured, while Morrison received only a scratch.

Peytral May Try It.

PARIS, May 25.—M. Peytral had a conference with President Carnot yesterday, and at its expiration informed the president that he thought the task of forming a cabinet was beyond his power. But, he added, he would confer with his colleagues and would give his answer later.

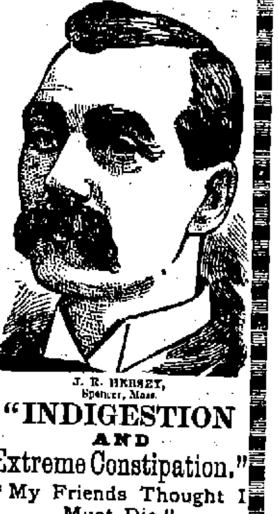
Germany's Invitation.

LONDON, May 25.—The British government has received a proposal from Germany to hold a conference on the Samoan question. Great Britain will probably accept.

Trustees Will Rebuild.

LACONIA, N. H., May 25.—The trustees of Gilmanton academy have voted to erect a building in the place of the one burned last Sunday.

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For Newburyport, 12.15, 2.40, 3.25, 6.15 p. m.

For Exeter, and Dover, 8.30 a. m.; 12.15, 3.25, 5.10, p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.35 p. m.

For Rochester and Alton Bay, 8.30 a. m.; 12.15, 3.25 p. m.

For Somersworth, N. H., Salmon Falls Saco and Portland 8.30 a. m.; 12.15, 3.25, 5.10, p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.35.

For Augusta, Bath, Lewiston, 8.30 a. m.; 12.15, 3.25, 5.00 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.35 p. m.

For Bangor; Belfast, Waterville, Skowhegan, Rockland, 8.30 a. m., 12.15, 5.10 p.m. SUNDAYS, 5.35 p. m.

For St. John N. B., Montreal, Quebec, 8.30 a. m., 5.10 p. m. (5.10 does not run Saturdays); SUNDAY, 5.35 p. m.

For Eastport and St. John's (per steamer), on Mondays and Thursdays at 12.15 p. m.

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Trains leave Merrimack Street Depot, Lowell.

For Boston—5 45, 6 30, ¶6 50, *7 45, *8 50, ¶9 25, *0 50, 11 06 a. m.; *12 10, 1 35, 2.10, ¶3.00, 4.30, ¶5 40 p. m. SUNDAYS, ¶7 45, 8 45, *9 15 a. m.

Trains leave Middlesex Street, Lowell, as follows:

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☞ Time below is from Northern depot.

For Ayer Junction and Way Stations—7.15 a. m.; 12.00, 5.40 and 5.40 p. m. SUNDAYS 2.15 p. m.

For Amherst, Milford and Wilton—9.14 a. m.; 12.57, 8.43, 6.42 p. m. SUNDAYS 2 p. m.

For Greenfield, Peterboro', Bennington, Hillsboro' and Keene—9.14 a. m. and 3.43 p. m.

For Nashua, Manchester and Concord 7.43, 9.14, 9.45, (7.11 a. m.), 12.57, 1.47, 3.43, (5.44 Nashua only), 5.42, 6.22, 8.13, 8.43 p.m. SUNDAYS 10.09. a. m. to Nashua only), 2.00, 6.00 8.13, 8.43 p. m.

For Penacook, Franklin, Lebanon and White River Junction—9.14, 9.45, 12.11, a. m.; 1.47, (5.42 Franklin only), (6.13 p. m.

For Warner, Bradford, Sunapee, Newport, (N. H.), Claremont and Claremont Junction—9.45 a.m.; 1.47p. m.

For St. Johnsbury and Lyndonville via Wells River—9.45 a.m.; 1.47 and (8.43.

For Montpelier, Montreal, Essex Junction, Burlington and St. Albans, via Central Vermont line—9.45 a. m.; 12.11, (8.13 p. m.

For Montreal and Quebec, via Montreal and Boston Air Line—9.45 a. m.; (8.43 p. m.

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TO LET—At Middlesex Village a tenement of six rooms and barn with large yard. G. E. Kimball, 6 Runels building, cor. Merr'k and Bridge streets.

WANTED—Salesmen; salary from start, permanent place. Brown Bros., Nurserymen, Rochester, N. Y.

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FOR SALE—In Belvidere, cottage house of 7 rooms, large lot of land. This is a bargain. Price $1400. G. L. Hubbard, 17 Merrimack street.

NOW IS THE TIME to get your spring clothing cleansed at the Merrimack Steam Dyeing and Cleansing House. Ladies' and gents' clothing dyed, cleansed and repaired. All orders neatly and promptly done. Orders called for and delivered free of charge. 477 Merrimack street, F. P. Low, proprietor.

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FOR SALE—A fruit, confectionery, tobacco and cigar store on one of the principal business streets in this city. Excellent location for business. Price, $325. Fish & Plummer, 137 Central street.

FURNISHED AND UNFURNISHED—Rooms to let at 40 Bridge street.

FOR SALE.—A 4-tenement block. Store in one, rents for $28 per month, built but a few years, 2740 feet of land, near center of the city and one of the best pieces of property on our list for investment, price $2500. Fish & Plummer, 137 Central street.

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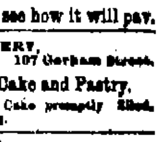
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SUN WEATHER BULLETIN.

ALMANAC FOR FRIDAY, MAY 25.

Sun Rises........ 4 14 | Moon Rises...12 01 AM
Sun Sets........ 7 09 | Full Sea { .. 2 45 AM / .. 3 20 PM
Length of Day..14 55 |

Forecast for Maine: Showers; increasing northeast winds.

For New Hampshire and Vermont: Showers; north winds.

For Massachusetts: Showers; high northeast winds.

For Rhode Island and Connecticut: Showers; winds shifting to west.

Fooling the People.

You can fool some of the people all the time; you can fool all the people some of the time; but you can't fool all the people all the time by getting out a second-hand newspaper. Compare THE SUN with other local papers.

LOCAL NEWS.

Smoke Tower's Corner Cigar.

Sunday will be Memorial Sunday.

James R. Green and wife of Lowell were registered at the Crawford house, Boston, yesterday.

There will be an athletic meeting and bicycle racing at the First street oval on Saturday, June 9th.

The Odd Ladies met last evening and made arrangements for holding a strawberry festival at an early date.

Washington Commandery, Golden Cross, admitted one new member, last evening, and arranged for a festival to be held June 14.

The trustees of the Edson cemetery, last evening discussed the seizure of the Donovan and Gannon land for cemetery purposes.

Mr. F. H. Butler of this city attended the banquet of the graduating class of the College of Pharmacy in Boston last evening.

There will be a special meeting of the Emerald associates this (Friday) evening at 7.30 to take action on the death of Bro. David Murphy.

The band concert by Post 42 under the auspices of the merchants in the vicinity of city hall, which was postponed last week will be given this evening, weather permitting, on city hall lot opposite the Merrimack Clothing Co.'s store.

Wamesit lodge, M. U. O. F., held a ball in Manchester Unity hall last evening, and an enjoyable evening was passed. The officers were: Floor director, W. Walsh, N. G.; aids, Joseph Bottomley, Robert Gourley, J. McDougal, W. Blake and W. Mack.

The marriage of Mr. Alton B. Bryant and Miss Helen C. Hanchett occurred yesterday afternoon at the parsonage of the First Congregational church, Billerica. The ceremony was performed by Rev. D. W. Hardy. The happy couple will reside in Dracut.

The anniversary of Bay State colony, Pilgrim Father was observed by a supper and a dance at Bay State hall, last evening. Owing to the stormy weather, the attendance was not as large as was expected. Supper was served in the banquet hall, and there was dancing afterwards.

President L. W. Weeks of the Cigarmaker's union will start next week on a trip through eastern Massachusetts, New Hampshire and Maine, and will deliver addresses in the different cities of these states on the practical advantages to be gained by encouraging and demanding the blue label on all cigars.

Eight teams are entered in the duck pin bowling tournament at the Lowell Reform club. The game attracts a large number of the members each evening. The contests are very exciting, and the greatest enthusiasm prevails. The record so far, for this week, is held by Williams, who scored 145 pins.

A year book is to be published at the First Congregational church, by the pastor, similar to those issued by other churches. In the book will be the names of members, and a directory of church attendants. It will also give interesting facts about the church and its departments. The year book will be for distribution among the members.

Ladies' Suits and Garments.

George F. Stiles, deputy sheriff and messenger, will sell by private sale, by order of the court of insolvency, all the stock in the store occupied by the Beaver Cloak company, in Hildreth building, consisting of ladies' cloaks, capes, suits, &c., at less than cost. Sale opens today.

Among the Bicyclists.

Bloomers on women cyclists may be seen any fine day in the vicinity of Franklin park, Boston. The garb has not yet blossomed in Lowell.

Lanterns are beginning to appear after dark. The riders are simply preparing for the new law and its enforcement.

William F. Courtney has not yet mastered the "bike" but his partner D. J. Donohoe is ready to try a run to Boston.

The Governor's Reception.

The American orchestra, E. J. Borjes, director, will render the following program at the reception to Gov. Greenhalge in Huntington hall, next Monday evening:

"The Star Spangled Banner"..................Key
March, "Gov. Greenhalge"............A. Mirault
Composed and respectfully dedicated to His Excellency, Gov. Greenhalge.
Overture, "Der Freischutz"..........Von Weber
{ a—"Marzaullio," Danza Mexicana.......Robyn
{ b—"La Troika," Russian dance.........Brahms
Cornet solo, "War Memories"..............Lory
R. McDaniel.
Selection from De Koven's comic opera,
"The Fencing Master"............Arr. Wiegand
Xylophone solo, "Southern Melodies......Stobbe
H. Dufresne.
Finale, "Before the Footlights"............Bendix

Under a Foreign Name.

A delightful "Kaffer Klatsch" or in English, coffee party, was held in the Eliot church last evening under the auspices of the Young People's society of the Christian Endeavor. The party was largely attended considering the condition of the weather. The church vestry was prettily decorated with evergreens, and the tables were neatly arranged about the room. The Lyceum orchestra discoursed sweet strains during the evening. An entertainment consisting of readings by Miss Bessie Adams and solos by Mr. Fred Lee and Mrs. Burns was enjoyed. The kitchen was in charge of Miss Mary Miller and Miss Sadie Stanton had general charge of the supper.

Another Driven Well Plant.

A meeting of the water board was held last evening, for the purpose of opening bids for 600 tons of coal, but owing to the unsettled condition of the coal market the opening was deferred.

The question of the driven well supply was talked over, and Mr. Fels spoke of the uneasiness that is manifested by the people of Centralville, because they are not receiving pure water, and he advised driving a few test wells in the vicinity of Lakeview avenue, near the Dracut line.

Mr. Cook, who was consulted, believed that a good supply could be found there. Enough wells will be sunk to test the matter thoroughly, and if the conditions are promising, it is not impossible that we may have two driven well plants in operation inside the snow flies.

DENTIST

Next time try Old Hundred.

T. C. Lee, Fire Insurance, Donovan Bl'dg.

Wall paper at 18 Church street.

People who were thinking of the beach and mountains a month ago are changing their minds.

E. B. Carlton is confined to his home on Belmont street from injuries received by a fall down stairs.

Patten & Co. have the finest potted plants and cut flowers in the city, Shedd's block, Central street.

The contract for grading and curbing city hall lot has been signed and work will be commenced at once.

Several members of the Knights of Columbus attended a big meeting of the order in Lynn last night.

Call at J. J. Gaynor & Co.'s, 35 Prescott street, and get prices on refrigerators and ice chests. Low prices this week.

The voters of Ward Six are to meet tonight at the ward room on High street to take action on the death of Councilman Benson.

The Merrimack Woolen mills, by Agent Fels, is in receipt of an official copy of the award of the World's Fair for the display of shawls.

A true, life like photo is something everybody admires. Marion makes that kind. Visit his studio in Barrister's hall and have a setting made.

Miss Leila McIntyre, who sang at Miss Noyes' recital Wednesday evening, has presented to many of the young people who recently participated in the Cadets' kirmess, photographs of herself as remembrances.

The "great military men" of the high school battalion will have a busy week beginning Sunday, when they march to the memorial services in Huntington hall; drill on Monday; go to Reading on Tuesday; march in the parade on Wednesday.

A prominent out-of-town lawyer who was waiting in the Northern depot, Wednesday, for a Boston train, after attending court, remarked to a SUN man that "the new depot would make a good ornament for a country village. Why don't they have a few more rooms scattered around?"

High School Drill Postponed.

Owing to the threatening weather the drill of the High school battalion which was to have occurred at the Dracut oval, this afternoon has been postponed until Monday.

Concert for the People.

Prof. A. Mirault has volunteered to give a concert by his band of 20 pieces to the people of Lowell on the South common next Sunday evening from 7.30 to 9 when the following program will be rendered:

Gov. Greenhalge's march..............A. Mirault
Columbia, Gavotte......................L. Frederic
Grand American Fantasia
Cornet solo, ...N. Demerais, O. Casey
Poet and Peasant, overture...........Von Suppe
Love's Golden Dream, waltz..........T. Bonheur
Bridal Rose, overture...................C. Lavallee
Rosy Cheeks, schottische........L. P. Laurendeau
Adeste Fideles, hymn................Arr C. Beyer
Boston Commandery, march.........T. M. Carter

MERRITT RELEASED.

The Boston Club Was Carrying Too Many Catchers, It is Said.

BOSTON, May 25.—Catcher Billy Merritt was yesterday released by the Boston club. President Soden said that the club was carrying too many catchers, and decided to release Merritt because he was dissatisfied. The game with the Washingtons scheduled for yesterday was postponed because of the rain.

At Cleveland:

Pittsburg.......... 1 0 0 0 1 0 2 2 —6
Cleveland.......... 4 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0—5

Base hits—Pittsburg, 9; Cleveland, 8. Errors—Pittsburg, 4; Cleveland, 4. Batteries—Killen, Ehret and Mack; Young and O'Connor.

At Chicago:

Chicago............ 2 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0—3
St. Louis.......... 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0—1

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Base hits—Louisville, 10; Cincinnati, 6. Errors—Louisville, 1; Cincinnati, 2. Batteries—Menefee and Grim; Parrott and Vaughn.

At Bangor—Worcester, 8; Bangor, 7.

At Lewiston—Lewiston, 10; Brockton, 2.

Seeking Foreclosure For Northern Pacific.

CHICAGO, May 25.—The Farmers' Loan and Trust company of New York, the holder of the $30,000,000 mortgage on the property of the Northern Pacific railroad, filed an amended and supplemental bill for foreclosure in the United States circuit court yesterday. The bill was filed under an order issued by Judge Jenkins at Milwaukee, and under the same order the defendants are directed to plead answer or demur.

Tay Pay's Opinion.

LONDON, May 25.—T. P. O'Connor, M. P., says that last night's division in the house of commons on the budget is looked upon as being an extremely critical moment for the government. The Conservatives, he adds, anticipate that the government will be defeated or that they will pass the budget by a small majority.

Fur Thieves to Be Extradited.

LONDON, May 25.—The extradition of Adolph and Montague Bernard, who were arrested here April 24, on the complaint of Isaac Levy, a fur dealer of New York city, who charged them with the embezzlement of furs, checks and money, to the extent of $20,000, was granted yesterday.

A Left-Handed Honor.

LONDON, May 25.—In the senate of Cambridge university the proposal to confer an honorary degree upon the Duke of York, son of the Prince of Wales, was challenged, but on the motion being put to a vote it was carried by 137 to 6.

An Unknown Wreck.

MANITOWOC, Wis., May 25.—The captain of the tug J. P. Clark reports having discovered the topmast of a vessel sticking out of the water between Sheboygan and Manitowoc, three miles from land. Nothing is known of the ill-fated craft.

Queen Victoria's Birthday.

LONDON, May 25.—The birthday of Queen Victoria (she was born May 24, 1819) was observed throughout England, although the official celebration of the event will not take place until tomorrow, according to custom.

Breckinridge Is Busy.

WASHINGTON, May 25.—Representative Breckinridge left today for another round of speeches in his district. He spent yesterday in court working on the bill of exceptions in the appeal from the decision in the Pollard suit.

Keeping an Eye on England.

PARIS, May 25.—M. DeLoncle is to introduce into the chamber of deputies the question of the British treaties with China, Italy and Belgium, alleging that they are a violation of French rights and existing treaties.

Wants to Wind Up.

LONDON, May 25.—A petition has been filed in the chancery division of the high court of justice asking for the winding up of Dalziel's Atlantic Telegram company.

For a Gold Standard.

BERLIN, May 25.—At a meeting at Friedrichroda of the German Banking association, a resolution in favor of a gold standard was unanimously adopted.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

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BAY STATE LEGISLATURE.

FOREIGN CONTROL OF HOME COMPANIES DISCUSSED.

The American Bell Telephone Company Not Included in the Stock at Auction Bill —Other Stock Companies.

BOSTON, May 25.—In the senate the bill to incorporate the New England and New York Railroad company was engrossed.

The report of the committee on water supply against authorizing Gloucester to construct a system of water supply was accepted.

The bill to prevent foreign corporations from issuing stock or other securities upon the property, franchise or stock of street railway, gas or electric corporations was given a third reading, 20 to 6.

Amendments to the house bill to regulate the use of bicycles and similar vehicles were proposed, chief of which was one to substitute "suitable alarm bell" for "continuously sounding automatic bicycle alarm," which was adopted, as were a few perfecting amendments. The bill was then put over until Monday.

Mr. Miller moved to reconsider the engrossment of the bill as to licenses to saloons within 400 feet of schools, and it was done. He then moved to strike out the provision allowing hotels with more than 25 rooms within this limit. The senate adopted the amendment striking out the exemption of first-class hotels and then engrossed it.

The senate amendments to the license commission bill, that the commissioners shall hold no other office and may be removed after a hearing, were concurred in.

The senate amendments to the state fire marshal bill were concurred in. They fix the salary at $4500 and continue the office of the Boston fire marshal 80 days.

Reconsideration prevailed on the vote whereby the house rejected the bill authorizing the inspector of industries at the state prison to assume control of the penitentiary in the absence of the warden and the deputy warden. Rejection of the bill was then negatived.

The house refused, by a vote of 79 to 103, to include in the stock-at-auction bill a clause including the American Bell Telephone company, and passed the bill to be engrossed.

Senate amendments to the bill relative to the issue of stock and bonds by gas and electric light companies were concurred in.

TROOPS ORDERED OUT.

Mob of Foreigners Attacked a Sheriff's Posse at La Salle, Ills.

LA SALLE, Ills., May 25.—A mob of 1000 coal strikers, none of them English-speaking, raided the shaft of the La Salle County Carbon Coal company here last evening, and in a conflict with the sheriff and his deputies five strikers, Sheriff Taylor and two deputy sheriffs were painfully wounded. The mob closed in on the officers and a hand-to-hand fight ensued. Three men were arrested, but one of them was released on the men threatening to tear down the jail and burn the city hall.

SPRINGFIELD, Ills., May 25.—Governor Altgeld this morning telegraphed for five companies of the Fourth infantry to report at Centralia, and four companies of the Seventh to report at La Salle at once.

A Government Victory.

LONDON, May 25.—Sir John Lubbock, in the house of commons, moved the budget committee be empowered to divide the budget bill into two parts and to embody the provisions respecting the sinking fund in a different measure. The motion was rejected—101 to 121. The announcement of the government's victory was greeted with prolonged Liberal cheers. The debate was expected, in some quarters, to prove the downfall of the Rosebery ministry.

A Timely Discovery.

LONDON, May 25.—The police in Brussels have discovered a large quantity of dynamite cartridges, bombs and explosive materials hidden in a sugar refinery in Hornu. It is believed to be the secret store from which the anarchists concerned in the recent bomb explosions in Belgium procured their supplies.

Rights of Cyclists.

PORTLAND, Me., May 25.—Walter Rumery was brought up in the police court, at the instigation of the League of American Wheelmen, charged with running down Alfred Walker. The prisoner was remanded until tomorrow. This case will decide what right the cyclists have on public highways.

Attempt at Train Wrecking.

NORTH ANSON, Me., May 25.—An attempt was made to wreck a passenger train near this place. An iron rail was placed across the track. The engineer saw it in time to slow up, but not until the locomotive struck the iron. The train was thrown from the rails, but no damage was done.

A Self-Confessed Robber.

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., May 25.—Daniel J. Cole confessed to having stolen diamonds and rubies valued at $20,000 from the trunk of H. C. Barnum, and was sentenced to four years' hard labor in the state's prison. Henry McCann was discharged for lack of evidence to convict him.

Dean of Radcliffe.

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., May 25.—It is announced in Philadelphia that Miss Agnes Irwin is to become dean of Radcliffe college. She does not authorize the announcement of her acceptance, but her friends say there is no doubt but that she will accept.

Weybosset Mills on the Market.

PROVIDENCE, May 25.—Arrangements are being made for the sale of Taft & Weeden's Weybosset mills, Olneyville. Since the strike few operatives have been employed, but capitalists are anxious to take the property and continue work.

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THE SUN HAS HEARD.

That there is great rivalry between electric car men on the Lakeview avenue line and the driver of the police patrol, to see who can make the most trips on Saturday night.

That the police patrol is ahead at present.

That a lady in the Highlands has never seen the police patrol.

That she is very anxious to see it.

That she does not live in the neighborhood where police signal boxes are located.

That the newly made wine merchants are feeling very tired.

That there was a wooden model of Capt. Meigs' engine upon Fletcher street until a few months ago.

CHANGES NEEDED.

How the Revision of the Ordinances Will Affect the School Board.

Relative to the revision contemplated in the city ordinances, probably there will be less changes made in that part referring to the schools than any other chapter of equal importance.

The committee appointed to revise the ordinances will be requested to make a change in that section providing for the election of a superintendent of schools, so that said election may take place annually in June, instead of July or August, as now required.

This would obviate the necessity of a meeting of the school board in July or August, and will otherwise expedite matters.

Another change rendered necessary by the erection of the new county truant school is in that section relating to the care of truants. The change recommended is, that the clause stating that truants shall be sent to a house of instruction or reformation in said city, shall be changed so as to have truants sent to the county truant school.

Another section that must necessarily be changed owing to the erection of the new truant school, is that concerning a suitable place of confinement for truants. The revised section will state that "the new county truant school is hereby assigned, as provided, as a place of confinement and discipline of truants."

LABOR NEWS.

A meeting was held last evening to organize the employes of the Middlesex company's mills.

Wednesday the organizing committee of the C. L. U. distributed circulars to the employes of the mill, announcing that a meeting would be held in Jackson hall last evening, for the purpose of banding the operatives into a union. At the appointed time, comparatively few people had assembled in the hall.

Chairman Buckley called to order and stated it was desirable to have a large attendance before talking on the subject of organization. He thought that the storm interfered with the attendance.

Secretary Weeks said that it looked to him as though there is no lack of desire on the part of the employes to organize. He hoped that all present would induce the other operatives to attend a meeting next Thursday evening.

The meeting can be a secret one and the operatives can go ahead with their organization without any show. The committee does not intend to organize the employes for the purpose of having them strike or demand a higher scale of wages.

Transfer of Truants.

It has not been determined as yet how the transfer of truants will be made from the institution at city farm to the new truant school. Supt. Whitcomb says that in his opinion this matter rests entirely in the hands of the judge of the police court.

It is stated, however, that all truants now at the reform school will be transferred to the new truant school, as soon as the latter is opened. None but truants and probably stubborn children will be received at the new school, as it is not considered proper to allow truants to mingle with persons sentenced for petty breaches of the law, as is now the case at the city institution. The opinion has been freely expressed, that such companionship instead of reforming a truant has had a tendency to lead them into the first steps in crime.

Good Templars' Entertainment.

The lady members of Scotia lodge, I. O. G. T., entertained the gentlemen members and friends at Caledonian hall, last evening. The attendance was very large, the hall being crowded during the whole evening. The entertainment program included bagpipe selections by Andrew Scott; recitation, Miss Alice Young; vocal solos by Agnes McKinley, Agnes Brown, and Winnie Vosburg; selections by the Chelmsford street quartet; duet, Guy Frazer and Agnes Brown; readings, Katie Young and Maud McRae; harmonica solo, Fred Aubrey; bagpipe selection, Mr. Frazer. After the entertainment ice cream and cake were served, and games enjoyed.

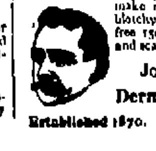
Praise for Merritt.

In commenting on the release of Billy Merritt from the Bostons, the Herald says that he had been singularly unfortunate in injuring his thumb. He will have little difficulty in signing elsewhere and for more money than he received in Boston.

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$9.50 Ladies' fine tailor-made Cutaway Suits, in either Serge or Covert Cloth, trimmed with braid, one of the latest designs, would cost you $16 to have made.

$6.50 Ladies' fine tailor-made Tuxedo Suits, of All-Wool Storm Serge, coat half lined with satin, a great bargain, as you could not buy the material for the price.

$3.75 Ladies' tailor-made suits of blue or black Serge, tight-fitting, would cost you $6 elsewhere.

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BOYS' SUITS at 75c., $1, $1.25, $1.50, $2, $2.50, $3.00, $3.50, $4.00, $5.00; the Knockabout and other exclusive styles.

MEN'S SUITS—$3, $4, $5, $6, $7, $8, $9, $10, $12, $14, $15, $18, $20.

Stylish COATS and VESTS of Clay Worsted at $8, $10, $12, $15, $18.

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40 dozen Fancy Shirts (laundered), collar and cuffs attached, sold everywhere at $1.25, our special price Friday and Saturday 79c. each.

1000 Printed and Woven Cheviot Shirts, 36 inches long, made with sloping shoulders, banded collars, deep yoke, nothing like them anywhere less than 75c., our price 49c. each.

Tremendous Hosiery Bargain.

200 dozen Seamless Half Hose, regular price 17c. a pair, our price for Friday and Saturday 3 pairs for 25c.

Collars and Cuffs.

200 dozen 4-ply Linen Collars, new shapes, regular price 17c. a pair, our price for 2 days only, 11c. each.

100 dozen pairs of Cuffs, made from same quality linen, square or round corners, only 19c. a pair.

Night Robes, Neckwear, Suspenders.

One lot of Night Shirts, made to sell at 75c., our price for Friday and Saturday 49c. each.

One lot of Neckwear in new shapes and colors, sold everywhere at 50c., our price 25c. each.

1000 pairs of Suspenders, regular price 25c., down to 12 1-2c. a pair.

A Few Words With the Ladies.

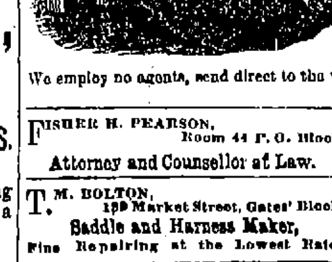
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